

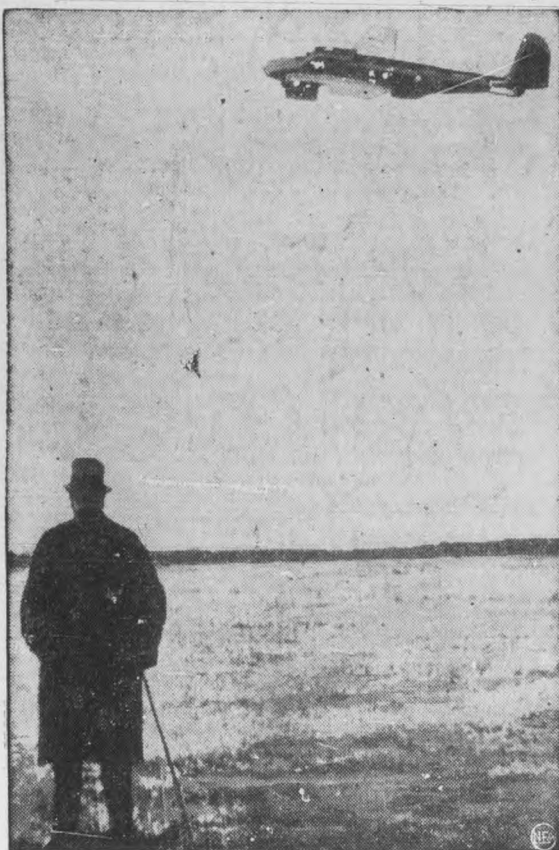
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CHURCHILL HOME—Strength of Great Britain, man and machine, is symbolized in this picture of Winston Churchill, who reached No. 10 Downing Street today from his sea conference with Franklin Roosevelt.

## Britain, Russia Plan Strong Move in Iran

LONDON (CP)—Indications grew today that Britain and Russia are planning a decisive step shortly in Iran (Persia) where reports of Nazi infiltration have brought a second protest from London and Moscow.

The Daily Mail said "we cannot afford to go slow here" and called the country "on Germany's road to India." It claimed Britain had been caught napping when a revolt in Iraq threatened the entire middle east position. Protracted fighting, which the British charged was instigated by the Germans in Iraq, finally ended with withdrawal of German elements and reinstallation of the rightful government.

TOURISTS  
Informed sources estimated about 35,000 German tourists and technicians, many of them at key communication points, now are in Iran, which has borders on Russia and India.

Newspapers warned Iran to heed the British and Russian

notes against Nazi intrigues which might compromise the country as Germany did in the last Great War.

Germans and their supporters were able to drive colonies of British from most of central and southern Persia in 1915 but in co-operation with a British-organized Persian force and with the aid of Russian troops the Persian government regained control.

(A broadcast by Tass, Russian news agency, quoted Ankara reports as saying Germany was demanding air bases and aviation fuel in Iran and planning overthrow of the government. It said Nazi agents had filtered into the Iranian army and more were coming by way of Istanbul to headquarters at Tabriz.)

Officials would not discuss the possibility of a military move on Iran but it was recalled Foreign Secretary Eden told the House of Commons August 7 that Middle East forces were being strengthened "for their next forward blow."

## Japan In Predicament

## Will Not Fight Britain, U.S., Says Gen. Grasett

Japan will not go to war with either Great Britain or the United States, in the opinion of Major-General Arthur E. Grasett, C.B., D.S.O., M.C., who for two and a half years has been in command of the British forces in China.

The Canadian-born general freely discussed Japan's predicament in an interview at the Empress Hotel this morning. He arrived with his wife over the weekend from Hongkong.

"The Japanese have never been up against anything good and we're now extremely strong in Malaya," said General Grasett. "You can make a point of that, if you like. Any attempt to take Singapore would be a heavy undertaking."

Landing of Japanese forces in Indo-China was no surprise to the British. The general observed he had traveled a lot since then, but added significantly: "They had a whole fleet of transports knocking around; we knew weeks previously just what they intended to do."

"They (the Japs) will take anything they can get for nothing," General Grasett referred to Japan's unenviable position as the tool of Hitler.

## LET DOWN TWICE

"She had been let down twice—when Nazi Germany signed the nonaggression pact with Soviet Russia, and she completely lost her equilibrium when Hitler went to war with Russia, with whom Japan had reluctantly been compelled to acknowledge friendship.

"Were Russia to crumble, and she doesn't look like it yet, Japan would probably step in and seize the Vladivostok province.

Japan now hasn't a friend in the world.

"They're stuck in China; their economic position is slowly but steadily deteriorating. Trade restrictions won't help her any. She is in a bad spot.

"It is my considered opinion that unless she becomes really desperate, Japan will not be so rash as to fight Great Britain or the United States."

## BOEN IN TORONTO

Born in Toronto 53 years ago, General Grasett was educated at Upper Canada College and at the Royal Military College at Kingston. All his active service, however, has been with the British army. He entered the Royal Engineers in 1909, served through the 1914-18 war, in which he won the Distinguished Service Order and Military Cross and was five times mentioned in dispatches. From 1921 to 1923 he served on the Indian northwest frontier. Before going to Hongkong he was brigadier of the Northern Command at York, Eng.

General Grasett, who has been recalled to London, will visit Toronto on his trans-Canada tour.

## Recruiting Up 2

Thirteen men joined the army in British Columbia over the weekend, two more than Saturday. Returns are:

Victoria	5
Vancouver	1
Trail	1
Vernon	3
Kamloops	2
Nanaimo	1
Total for all B.C.	13

## Final Bulletins

### HOLLANDERS DIE FOR AIDING BRITISH

AMSTERDAM, German-occupied Netherlands (AP)—Three Hollanders paid with their lives today for assisting British fliers who made forced landings on Netherlands territory. Two others were sentenced to prison for life after court-martial by German military authorities on charges they gave food, money and civilian clothing to grounded fliers said to have been caught trying to reach the Channel coast.

### BELGIANS DIE

BRUSSELS, German-occupied Belgium (AP)—Three Belgians were executed today after being condemned to death by military authorities on charges of espionage.

### Serbians Shoot Nazis, Blow Up Viaduct

CAIRO (AP)—British officers returned to Beirut in an exchange of prisoners with the French after the Syrian campaign said today that while crossing Yugoslavia six weeks ago German guards pointed out the ruins of a viaduct blown up by Serbian irregulars who afterwards machine-gunned a trainload of Nazi troops.

### Jap Puppet's Bodyguard Shot to Death

SHANGHAI (AP)—According to reliable sources, three members of the personal bodyguard of Wang Ching-wei were shot to death and a fourth wounded at Nanking Saturday night. Wang Ching-wei is the puppet leader of the Japanese-sponsored Chinese regime.

### New British M.P.

LONDON (CP)—Lieut. G. C. Grey, 23, a relative of the late Lord Grey of Fallodon, was returned to the House of Commons by acclamation at Berwick-on-Tweed today to fill the vacancy caused by elevation to the peerage of Sir Hugh Seely. Both Lieut. Grey and Sir Hugh are Liberals. The by-election was not contested in accordance with the wartime political truce.

### \$117,785,230 Spent On Construction

OTTAWA (CP)—The Munitions and Supply Department announced today that 1,283 construction contracts valued at \$117,785,230 have been awarded since July 14, 1939.

Contracts awarded during July totaled 132 and involved expenditure of \$7,249,026. These were divided as follows, with value of contracts in brackets: Air force, \$8 (\$5,167,268); army, 35 (\$1,101,031); navy, nine (\$898,726).

### Police Not to Blame

The noise from unnecessary motor-horn blowing in Victoria may be unnerving at times, but the man who has been selling motor car tickets at Douglas and View Streets for the Lord Mayor's Fund said he doesn't blame the police on patrol for not checking it.

"I don't criticize the police department in any way for it, nor the chief of police, because they are doing their best with the law as it stands," he said. "I was misquoted when what was printed was misinterpreted as reflecting on the police, who have a hard job with few men to cover the whole downtown area."

### Local Events

The band of the 1st Battalion, Irish Fusiliers, will play retreat tonight at 8.10 in Parliament Square.

Pitzer and Nex will meet an R.C.A.F. team in an exhibition baseball game at Athletic Park at 6.15.

## Menzies Trip to London Causes Disagreement

MELBOURNE (AP)—Disagreement between federal Labor Leader John Curtin and other Labor members of the War Advisory Council on the question of Prime Minister Robert Menzies going to Britain is expected to create a serious problem for a Labor caucus at Canberra August 20.

The disagreement hinges on the proposal made recently that Prime Minister Menzies should return to England, and, as Prime Minister of the Commonwealth, take a seat in the British war

### Masses of Planes Raid French Coast

LONDON (CP)—A large number of Royal Air Force fighters and bombers swept high across the English Channel in a large-scale operation tonight from several bases on the southeast coast. The bombers, closely guarded by Hurricanes and Spitfires, returned an hour later.

### DENTZ HELD

LONDON (CP)—The British Broadcasting Corporation said today there can be no question of releasing Gen. Henri Dentz, former Vichy commander in Syria, "until the British government is satisfied" that all British prisoners held by the Vichy government are being released.

### Manitoba M.P.P. Has Sleeping Sickness

WINNIPEG (CP)—J. B. Laughlin of Cartwright, Conservative member of the Manitoba Legislature for Killarney, has been taken ill with encephalitis, commonly known as sleeping sickness, it was revealed today as health authorities reported 26 new cases over the week-end to bring the total number in the province to 86.

### No Censorship

WASHINGTON (AP)—Stephen Early, press secretary, today discussed with President Roosevelt a report the President had approved an army-navy proposal for legislation to clamp censorship on the press, radio and communications, and said he was authorized to say:

"The President has not approved such a bill nor does he know of the existence of any such bill. He can't imagine the source of such a news report unless it be the Wilhelmstrasse or from a source in this country who thinks more of Germany than he does of the United States."

### Regina to Build Gun Carriages

REGINA (CP)—Finished units of two-pounder and six-pounder anti-tank gun carriages will be rolling out of the Regina plant of General Motors of Canada in three months, William Pearson, plant manager, said today on his return from eastern Canada.

### 2-year License Plates

LANSING, Mich. (AP)—Michigan's 1942 automobile license plates will be built to last two years, because no steel will be available to manufacture new ones in 1943.

The plates will have at their bottoms the numerals "42" to denote the year of license. In 1943 a steel strip an inch and a half wide bearing the numerals "43" will be issued to be bolted over the original numerals.

### Empress Goes Home

LONDON (CP)—The Empress of Ethiopia, who has been living at Bath, has left England to return to Addis Ababa. She was accompanied by her daughter, Princess Tsahai.

### Darlan Sees Brinon

LONDON (CP)—Admiral Jean Darlan, newly named Minister of National Defence, arrived in Paris today for talks with Fernand Brinon, Vichy representative in Paris, the British Broadcasting Corporation reported.

### Men Over 28 Free

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt signed into law today legislation to relieve men 28 years and older from active military duty under the Selective Service Act.

### Grew Sees Toyada

## Russia Lines Jap Border, Pacific Crisis Grows

Associated Press

Reliable indications that a Russian Far Eastern army of great strength has been fully mobilized and stationed on the Siberian-Manchokuo border and an hour-long conference between United States ambassador Joseph C. Grew and Japanese foreign minister Tetsuji Toyada today stressed the critical situation in the Pacific.

Significantly, Domei, Japanese news agency, started off its European-American broadcasts with a discussion of rumored plans of Chinese Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek to visit Moscow, interpreting such plans as evidence of China's weakness and

the effectiveness of Japan's blockade.

The whole Japanese press splashed reports under London datelines that Chiang would visit Moscow.

### IMPORTANT

The Grew-Toyada meeting was reported of the utmost importance although there was no inkling of what they discussed.

In Washington, Secretary of State Cordell Hull said Japan had given no satisfactory explanation for refusing to allow 100 private American citizens to leave that country on Ss. President Coolidge.

Japanese newspapers told the public Japan is threatened from all sides in an alleged "encirclement."

The Diplomatic Review, which sometimes expresses foreign office opinion, contended Japan's existence was threatened by the military position taken by powers who were not named, and said "there is danger of an explosion of the worst eventualities in the east, west, south and north simultaneously."

Nichi Nichi said British-American aid to Russia probably would harm Japanese-Soviet relations and the three-powers talks planned for Moscow would add to the alleged encirclement of Japan.

### ALASKA

Commenting on a declaration by the U.S. Secretary of War, Henry Stimson, that Alaskan defenses are being prepared, Nichi

said "we can see in this statement that the Americans plan to form an encircling structure."

Although Japan's action in the President Coolidge case was considered comparatively minor, it was known the U.S. state department is studying means for removal of citizens who desire to leave Japan.

The Japanese action, however, aroused Representative John Dingell, Democrat, Michigan, who said he would recommend that the President "order imprisonment in concentration camps in Hawaii of 10,000 alien Japanese within 48 hours after transmission of a note to the Tokyo government" if the Americans were not allowed to depart.

### Manhattan Rocked

## 5 Die in New York Dock Fire

NEW YORK (AP)—Five men were killed, considerable property damage was caused and a number of seamen were feared dead today in a fire which swept a section of the Brooklyn waterfront.

The blaze, touched off by a series of lightning-like explosions, damaged the Cuba Mail Line freighter Panuco, a 1,000-foot Cuba Line pier, an adjoining pier and several craft assisting in the unloading of a highly inflammable cargo from the Panuco.

Police Commissioner Lewis J. Valentine said he feared "many more men or bodies" were aboard the flaming Panuco, which was towed into the East River after she caught fire.

He said 26 men were fished out of the river, three of them dead and 22 were taken to hospitals.

B. E. Sackett, special agent in charge of the Manhattan field office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and Brooklyn District Attorney William O'Dwyer began investigations of the possibility of sabotage.

Valentine said he believed the fire started on the pier, No. 27, but the fire department was unable immediately to determine the cause of the blaze or estimate the damage. The adjoining pier, No. 26, has been used by ships carrying supplies to Britain.

The flames quickly engulfed the Panuco, heavily loaded with quicksilver, minerals and hemp.

Five barges, several of them loaded with steel cables destined for a U.S. naval base at Guantanamo, Cuba, were touched off by the licking flames and likewise drifted harborward.

Brooklyn and Manhattan fire departments, the city's largest

and newest fireboats, the coast-guard cutters and small craft rushed to the area, bringing the blaze under control within two hours after the first explosion thundered out at 11.40 a.m. (8.40 a.m. P.D.T.).

### CREW INJURED

Many of the injured were said to have been crewmen of the Panuco, of whom there were 35, but it was not known whether the full complement was aboard at the time of the fire.

It was not immediately learned what was stored in the 525-foot-long pier or its sheds.

The 3,750-ton Panuco arrived yesterday from Tampico and Progreso, Mexico, and was unloading when the fire started.

Built in 1917 at Seattle, the 351-foot ship had been in the New York-Mexico run for several years. Cuba Mail Line officials

said she was expected to be a total loss.

The teeming Brooklyn waterfront was endangered as hungry flames and smoke flooded the area near the Brooklyn Bridge.

The fire started one mile below the New York Navy Yard on East River. A fire of undetermined origin last July 1 swept a pier at the Navy Yard, injuring one man and damaging a coastguard cutter and two small naval craft.

One mile upstream above the Navy Yard lies Greenpoint, Brooklyn, where another mystery fire last Monday destroyed lumber stocks accumulated to fill army and navy orders.

Clouds of dense smoke spread over Manhattan's financial district just as lunch hour crowds poured out of skyscraper office buildings. Lower Manhattan was rocked by the blasts.

## Man Drowned On Family Picnic

A family picnic at Sooke River yesterday ended tragically when the father, Robert Burns Mugford, 32, of Sooke, drowned while swimming.

Mr. Mugford who was in the Royal Canadian Navy Fishermen's Reserve, had taken his wife and three children, Patricia, eight years old, John, five years, and Peter, three, for a picnic at the river about three and a half miles from Milnes Landing.

A powerful man but not a good swimmer, Mugford dived into a pot hole and swam to the opposite bank of the river, a distance of about 20 yards. As he was climbing out of the water on a large smooth boulder he slipped, striking his head. The blow made a deep gash in his forehead and knocked him unconscious.

His eight-year-old daughter saw her father fall and screamed. Her cries brought Gordon Fields, 633 Linden Avenue, Victoria, rushing to the scene.

Fields dived into the water, which was about 15 feet deep at that point, and grabbed Mugford. The weight of the man was too much for him and Alexander Craigmyle, 1236 Oxford Street, and Wilfred Orchard, Sooke school teacher, dived in to give assistance.

The three managed to get Mugford to shore. Provincial police and Dr. J. Brown, Sooke, were called.

Constable William C. Murray of the police arrived at the scene from town soon after 4, about an hour after the accident, with Fireman William Wiggs of the city department.

The policeman and fireman tried for more than two hours to revive Mugford with a pulmotor but their attempts were unsuccessful.

Mugford was born in Victoria and had resided at Sooke most of his life. He was a member of the City Police Department for a short time. He later worked as a truck driver and recently joined the Fishermen's Reserve of the R.C.N.

He leaves his widow and three children at the family residence at Sooke and a brother, Bertrum W., 2390 Foul Bay Road, Victoria.

The remains are resting at McCall Brothers Funeral Parlors,



LONDON CAN TAKE IT—Members of a battalion of a Quebec regiment roar through a bomb-damaged section of London, pouring gun-fire from a Bren gun carrier in a realistic "attack" on a centre of communications. The battalion used every weapon and stratagem of modern war as they impersonated parachute troops. The area was defended by part of the Post Office Home Guard.

## Reds Counter-attack

Canadian and Associated Press  
Powerful Red Army counter-attacks, costing the Germans at least 25,000 men on the central and northern Ukrainian front, were reported today by the Russians.

Authoritative sources in London said the Germans apparently have launched a major new offensive in the north, aimed at Leningrad from Estonia.

This drive, they said, seems to be timed with the final withdrawal of Marshal Semeon Budenny's Russian forces across the Dnieper River on the Ukraine flank of the eastern front.

Loss of the big Russian ship-building port of Nikolaev and the mining centre of Kirov Rog has been acknowledged in Moscow.

The Nazi high command claimed Red Army forces in the southern Ukraine have fallen still farther back toward the lower Dnieper. The Germans said the Russian withdrawal had become a flight, a rout.

The Russians claimed their



fighting strength of 43,500 men. Before withdrawing from Nikolaev and Kirov Rog, the Red soldiers carried out Stalin's "scorched earth" policy and the vast Nikolaev dockyards were blown up.

Indicating the intensity of guerrilla operations in territory behind the German-Finnish lines, the Russian Bureau of Information said "in the course of the last few days alone guerrilla detachments blew up eight bridges, engineered 21 train wrecks, destroyed 31 planes, 18 tanks, 72 trucks, four armored cars and killed 480 soldiers and 25 officers."

### MOSCOW RAIDED

Moscow had its 20th air-raid alarm of the war during the night, but the Russians said the raiders were dispersed west of the city by night fighters and the fire of camouflaged, disappearing batteries of anti-aircraft guns which guard the capital.

Control by the Germans of the rich ore region upon which Russia depends for much of her vitally-needed iron, was a blow to the Russians, but does not mean the war is over by any means.



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CHUNGKING (AP)—Foreign Minister Quo Tai-chi, in a statement on the Roosevelt-Churchill declaration, said today China is prepared to make her full contribution to postwar reconstruction.

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## Would Organize Raw Materials

LLANDUDNO (CP)—Ernest Bevin, Minister of Labor, told a transport workers' conference here today the government was considering a fairly wide development of the rationing system not merely to control prices but in order to get better distribution.

Referring to the Churchill-Roosevelt declaration, Bevin said he believed the British Commonwealth, United States, China and Russia would play a role that hitherto no one had conceived in the organization of the world.

Raw materials, he said, must no longer be a scramble for speculation. They must be organized and if he had his way he would introduce for raw materials an international pool and would pool freight rates and make charges for their use with international control.

He added that no peace could be built until Prussianism was dismissed.

## Democratization Reducing Gaps

WASHINGTON (AP)—An analyst for the Foreign Policy Association said today a "rapid process of democratization" is taking place in Great Britain despite the "almost dictatorial powers" of the Churchill government and the suspension of general elections until the end of the war.

This process, said James Frederick Green in a survey for the private research organization, is "modifying the traditional class structure and reducing the gap between the privileged and underprivileged in society."

Britain has shown, he said, that a democracy can fight for two years without losing its civil liberties.

## NAZIS SEPARATE MAN AND WIFE

KITCHENER, Ont. (CP)—Rev. Ellsworth Steele and Mrs. Steele, Canadian missionaries aboard the Egyptian liner Zamzam when it was sunk in the south Atlantic four months ago by a German raider, have been separated and are held as prisoners of war in Germany, friends here said today.

A letter from Mrs. Steele, received by Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Schultz of Kitchener said German authorities told the couple they were to be separated "by many miles." Mrs. Steele has not seen her husband since he was taken to another prison camp.

## DESPONDENT JAP TRIES HARI KARI

HONOLULU (AP)—An elderly Japanese, despondent over relations between Japan and the United States, set fire to the woods near Schofield barracks today and then attempted to commit hari kari.

He succeeded in partially disemboweling himself and small hope was held for his recovery.

The fire, aided by a strong wind, still was burning tonight despite efforts of a regiment from the barracks.

According to police Usui Makamine, a pineapple worker, went to the woods with a gallon of sake (Japanese rice wine), a gallon of kerosene and a knife. Police said he drank the sake and started the fire before attempting hari kari.

## ITALIAN CLAIMS

ROME (AP)—The Italian high command claimed today Italian bombers sank a British merchant ship escorted by British warships between the Egyptian ports of Matruh and Sidi Barrani.

The daily war bulletin said German planes renewed their attacks on British positions at Tobruk and reported a 1,000-ton ship previously reported hit was found to have been sunk.

(These claims lack British confirmation.)

British bombers again attacked Bengasi and an Axis air base nearby where anti-aircraft downed one of the raiders, the high command said.

British aircraft also were said to have renewed aerial attacks on isolated Italian outposts in the Gondar region of Ethiopia. The Italians claimed British troops attempting to close in on Italian outposts in that area were driven back.

## Miner Recovering

VANCOUVER (CP)—Condition of John A. Schleppe, 28, who suffered two broken legs in a mine accident at Zeballos, was reported good in hospital here today. Schleppe was brought in to hospital here by Canadian Airways plane Saturday.

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## Secret Arrival

## Churchill Home, May Speak Soon

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill returned to Britain safely today from an historic meeting at sea with President Roosevelt and a visit to Iceland, and was met by Information Minister Brendan Bracken to complete arrangements for a probable broadcast by the Prime Minister.

The date for the broadcast has not been announced.

As Mr. Churchill and his party drove to a special train in three motor cars, persons in the streets cheered and shouted "best of luck."

The Prime Minister smiled and waved his hat.

"He looked very happy, indeed," a spectator said.

The Prime Minister returned in the battleship Prince of Wales, which carried him to the sea meeting. The port of arrival was not made public.

The Prime Minister was expected to return to London later today.

A British film of the meeting of President and Prime Minister showed at least one of their talks was held close to shore.

A rocky coastline was distinguishable in the background of a picture showing Mr. Churchill watching from the Prince of Wales as a United States destroyer carried President Roosevelt away.

The President, it was disclosed here, visited the British battleship only once. That was Sunday, August 10. He went aboard for religious services and sang, with Mr. Churchill, "Land of Hope and Glory" and "Onward Christian Soldiers."

During the services, it was said, patrolling planes droned overhead, sometimes drowning out the singing and music from the marine bands of the British battleship and U.S. destroyer.

U.S. sailors accompanied the President to the British battleship and engaged in backslapping with the British tars, to whom they brought presents of fruit and cigarettes.

The President also brought presents—one for every member

## B.C. AIR BASES OPEN SHORTLY

OTTAWA (CP)—Progress in construction of air bases in northern British Columbia and the Yukon to facilitate air travel to Alaska was described as "eminently satisfactory" today, and one Transport Department official said the five airdromes will be available for use early this fall.

Transportation difficulties delayed work at Watson Lake, in Yukon Territory and just north of British Columbia, and at Fort Nelson, B.C. These probably would not be completed this year, but it was confidently predicted all airdromes would be in use by autumn.

The bases are being built by Canada on recommendation of the joint permanent defence board of Canada and the United States to make possible rapid transfer of fighter squadrons to Alaska in case of emergency.

## ALBERTA EPIDEMIC

EDMONTON (CP)—Two Calgary children suffering from infantile paralysis in "a very mild form" were admitted to the isolation hospital in Calgary Saturday but no other cases were reported over the week-end, Alberta government and city health authorities said today. This brings the total for all of Alberta to 36.



RED TROOPS IN ACTION—Soviet soldiers with rifle and mortar await advance enemy panzer units, while exploding land mines (background) guard their right flank.

of the British crew. In each box were cigarettes, fruit and cheese. Each bore a card which said "best wishes, Franklin D. Roosevelt."

The U.S. sailors, like the President, remained for lunch on the battleship. Afterward they sent hams, eggs and butter to replace food they had eaten.

The film of the meeting showed a black cat episode as the President left. The cat, a Prince of Wales mascot, ventured onto a gangplank from the battleship to the destroyer and sat there purring while the President and his party sidestepped by.

The press association said Mr. Churchill began the journey by train from London, going to a British port where he boarded a destroyer that took him to the ship.

Naval personnel and others at the port were sworn to secrecy about the trip and none knew where he was going.

The Prime Minister wore his hat at a jaunty angle and puffed a cigar as he stood on the destroyer's bridge when she put out to sea.

## VISITED FLAGSHIP

Mr. Churchill then transferred to the flagship King George V where he was received by Admiral Sir John Tovey. He lunched on the flagship, then transferred to the Prince of Wales for the Atlantic journey.

The party of 10 distinguished men who went with Mr. Churchill, included the newly-created peer, Lord Cherwell, inventor of the balloon barrage, formerly known as Prof. Frederick Lindemann.

Destroyers from the Home Fleet escorted the Prince of Wales on the outward trip and others steamed out to bring her back.

In contrast to President Roosevelt's heralded return to Maine and his prompt press conference the Prime Minister slipped in secretly to avoid a possible potshot by a German raider.

No public account of his arrival was expected beyond the details released this morning.

## Mountbatten Flies To Pacific Duties

LISBON, Portugal (AP)—Lord Louis Mountbatten, cousin of the King and commander of two destroyers sunk in action against the Axis, was among 19 passengers who took off aboard the New York-bound Dixie Clipper today. Lady Louis was with him.

British sources here said it was believed Lord Louis is en route to China by way of the United States to take over command of a British warship in the Pacific.

## Japs Lose Cotton

CAIRO (AP)—Large quantities of Egyptian cotton, scheduled for shipment to Japan, will not be sent, an official announcement said today following upon cancellation of all navicerts from Egypt to Japan.

## For Equal Pay

LLANDUDNO, Wales (CP)—H. J. Edwards, president of the Transport and General Workers' Union, told the organization's annual conference today that the union stands for equal pay for equal work by both sexes. He said that where women are brought into industry conditions should not be less favorable than those applying to the men they are replacing.

## \$4,000,000,000 More For Lease-Lend

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Tom Connally (Dem.-Texas) predicted after a White House conference on international affairs today that Congress would be asked to appropriate in the neighborhood of \$4,000,000,000 additional for the lease-lend program "if and when the money is needed."

Connally, chairman of the Senate foreign relations committee, talked with reporters after receiving from President Roosevelt, in company with other Congressional leaders, a picture of the President's conference at sea with Prime Minister Churchill.

The Texas senator said Mr. Roosevelt gave the group a complete outline of his conference.

## NO NEARER WAR

"I do not believe," Connally declared, "that any commitments were made at the conferences which in any way would alter our position toward the war."

"I do not believe that we have drifted any closer to actual involvement."

Saying that speculation on a projected new lease-lend appropriation had placed the probable figure "much too high," Connally said the figure probably would approximate \$4,000,000,000.

"By far the greater part of the original \$7,000,000,000 lease-lend appropriation has not yet been expended," he declared.

## WILL GET SOME BACK

Connally said he had gained the impression that "not all of the money we spend under the lease-lend program will be tossed into a hole—we will get some of it back."

Senate Democratic Leader Alben Barkley of Kentucky said the group had had a "very interesting" conference but that he could not say much about it because it was confidential.

But he said the Senate and House of Representatives leaders had received as full an account of the Churchill-Roosevelt meeting as it was possible to condense the three days of conferences into a discussion lasting an hour and a half.

"The question of a further lease-lend appropriation was discussed," he asserted. "The budget is studying it. There has been no decision on the amount. When the budget is through with it, there will be a further communication to Congress on the subject."

## U.S. Ship Sights Sub, Empty Boat

JERSEY CITY, N.J. (AP)—The American export liner Exeter arrived from Lisbon today after sighting a submarine near her bow early on the moonlit morning of August 9, about 100 miles west of the Portuguese capital and discovering later the same day an empty, drifting lifeboat.

Crewmen said the submarine suddenly appeared about 100 feet off the ship's brilliantly-lighted bow, port side, and remained stationary while apparently inspecting the ship and the American flag emblazoned on her side.

The submarine was plainly visible in the light of the moon, but its nationality was not determined, crewmen said. Capt. Wenzel Habel said he was called to the bridge at 2 a.m. at first sight of the craft but the ship had passed it when he arrived there.

A few hours later, Capt. Habel said, a Lisbon radio directed him to a spot where a Portuguese observation plane reported it had sighted a lifeboat drifting with several persons, apparently sailors.

Twelve hours later, he said, he reached the boat and found it empty. There was a white cloth affixed to a standard, he said, and all oars were in place. He said there were no identifying marks on the boat. Habel said it was possible a rescue had been made without an accompanying report to nearby ships.

## Japanese Ordered Away From Singapore

TOKYO (AP)—A copyright dispatch to the Japanese news agency Domei from Singapore said today all Japanese and other aliens living within a 15-mile radius of the British naval base at Singapore had been ordered to leave the area within two weeks.

The Japanese include residents and officers of concerns which held vast rubber tracts in the zone. They are appealing to the authorities to reconsider the order, Domei said.

## Nazis Take Bells

STOCKHOLM (AP)—All church bells in Norway have been ordered delivered to German authorities for use "for urgent purposes of state"—ostensibly war materials, the Norwegian correspondent of the newspaper Dagens Nyheter reported today.

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**London Fire Scenes Will Be Shown**

TORONTO (CP)—Rudolf Haybrook, one of Britain's best-known artists, who gained first-hand experience as a member of the auxiliary fire service at London, arrived during the week-end with a collection of 107 paintings and sketches called "The Great Fire of London, 1940."

The pictures, which will go on exhibition beginning August 22, are the work of artists who belong to the auxiliary fire service and portray scenes of destruction during air raids on the British capital.

Haybrook said he doubted "whether such terrible and great events have ever been painted by actual participants. Each man who has contributed as a fireman first, these days, and then a painter."

The collection, carefully selected by leading British critics, was first shown in London. The British government then sent it to Washington, where it was exhibited at the National Gallery.

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## News to France

OTTAWA (CP)—Three representatives of French Canada sent messages of comfort and news of the Dominion's war effort to the peoples of occupied and unoccupied France through facilities of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and the Boston station WRUL.

They were Maj.-Gen. L. R. LaFleche, deputy minister of national war services; L. de Montigny, director of the Senate translation services; and Mme. Marthe Simard, wife of Prof. Andre Simard of Laval University, Quebec.

Gen. LaFleche, who at first hand saw France crumble before the German advance, re-

called to the people of France ties of affection, blood and common ideals which unite them with Canada and which are forever evident at Vimy Ridge "where 60,000 Canadians sleep at the side of their French comrades in the soil of France."

De Montigny told how French-Canadians were at work in factories, in mines, in woods, on the land; how their money was flowing into every phase of the war effort and how the men of French Canada were joining the forces as soldiers, sailors, jirmen and technicians.

Mme. Simard, herself French and with all her relatives living in France, described success of recruiting French-Canadians for active service in Quebec and the exploits of the Free French forces.

"Canadians have every confidence in you," she told her countrymen. "Thanks to Gen. Charles de Gaulle, his soldiers, sailors and aviators, France and Frenchmen are still respected in the world."

## Gracie Starts Tour

LONDON (CP)—Gracie Fields, English comedienne, left Britain by air today on a British Empire and United States tour. She recently returned from a similar tour of Canada and United States where she raised money for British war relief.

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### Weekly Newspapers Elect Officers

QUEBEC (CP) — Walter R. Legge of the Leader-Mail, Granby, Que., was elected president of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association for 1941-42 at the closing session of the association's 22nd annual convention here, succeeding H. E. Rice of the Forester, Huntsville, Ont.

Other officers were named as follows: First vice-president, Major W. Ashfield, the Sun, Grenfell, Sask.; second vice-president, R. P. MacLean, the Courier, Kelowna, B.C., and managing director, C. V. Charters, the Conservator, Brampton, Ont.

Provincial directors included: British Columbia, Don Campbell, Salmon Arm Observer, and Edgar Dunning, Ladner Optimist.

Before adjourning the convention adopted a resolution urging Canadian newspaper publishers to give "serious thought and consideration immediately to the question of readjustment and reconstruction after the war."

In another resolution the convention affirmed "its complete faith in the cause in which our

## NO SIGNS YET OF WAR'S END

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, England (CP) — David Margesson, War Secretary, cautioned Britons against expecting an early victory no matter what losses the Germans suffer in the Russian campaign.

"There are no signs of the war drawing to a quick and pleasant conclusion," he told an audience. "We cannot look forward to an early return to our peaceful way of life. We would be traitors to our cause and our country if we allowed ourselves even to think this war was being won for us by someone else."

"The German armies are made of stern stuff. They suffered far greater losses in the last war and recovered from them."

He conceded, however, that "this Russian adventure has bred a spirit of misgiving not merely among German soldiers but, and this is far more important, in the German people. That spirit is deepened by the hostility of the occupied territories."

"It spreads to U-boat crews whose heavy losses have deepened it, and it is marked in internment and prisoners' camp in this country."

"The truculence of German prisoners in this country, so noticeable in the early days, has given way to a very chastened attitude."

Empire is struggling to maintain for the freedom of the peoples of the world," and pledged its "loyal and undivided support to our King."

## Canadians in R.A.F. Raids on Germany



Going special delivery is this item, left, in the cargo of a Wellington bomber manned by Canadians, who are going to make sure their parcel is delivered at the right address. The Nazis are finding that the explosives they have dropped so indiscriminately on British cities, are now bouncing back, like rubber



cheques, with disastrous results. The R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. join hands in the first Canadian bomber squadron, which is manned by Canadian members of the R.A.F. and others belonging to the Royal Canadian Air Force who have been trained under the Empire Training scheme. At right, the Canadian crew arrives by lorry and boards a Wellington bomber, about to take off for a raid over Germany.

### Hammer Rhineland

## Bremen and Duisburg Main R.A.F. Targets

LONDON (CP) — British bombers which pounded Germany and occupied France by day and night during the week-end were reported today to have concentrated last night on Bremen and the important industrial area around Duisburg on the Rhine.

Indicating a large-scale daylight offensive against some continental objective, a big formation of R.A.F. planes roared high over the Channel from the southeast coast this afternoon.

The Air Ministry said more than 100 British bombers ranged over western and northwestern Germany during the night despite unfavorable weather. Only one British plane was lost.

Large fires were touched off among the docks at Bremen and in the industrial districts at Duisburg.

A few German planes retaliated over Britain last night, the Air Ministry said, bombing several coastal points. One plane was downed.

### HULL BOMBED

Nine persons were killed and several injured when the raiders bombed a densely-populated residential district of Hull. Many others were said to have been trapped for hours.

Large numbers of German planes approached the port, these reports said, but all but a few were prevented by R.A.F. fighters from getting through.

In offensive sweeps across the English Channel and over northern France yesterday R.A.F. fighters destroyed seven German fighters while other aircraft scored a torpedo hit on the stern of an "enemy tanker" off Le Touquet, France, the Air Ministry announced.

Two R.A.F. fighters and one bomber were lost. Yesterday's raids followed closely upon attacks by considerable forces of British bombers on Rhineland industrial cities Saturday night.

Flying through dirty weather, the R.A.F. bombed Cologne, Duesseldorf and Duisburg and attacked docks at Rotterdam and Ostend.

Thirteen R.A.F. planes were missing after the attacks Saturday night, the Air Ministry said, while one British bomber destroyed a Nazi fighter.

The Air Ministry news service said large factories were left burning from powerful bombs dropped in the three Rhineland cities.

### WILL CRACK NAZIS

Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair, speaking to bomber crews, declared:

"It is the fighters who saved us from defeat last autumn and it is bombers who are going to smash the war industries of Germany and break the will to win of the German people."

"If we go on hammering at the Germans in the west," said Sir Archibald, "the time will undoubtedly come sooner or later when the German people will insist that the high command bring back more aircraft from the eastern front to protect them and to counter-attack us in Britain. That will relieve the weight of the attack upon the hard-pressed Russians."

The Admiralty reported a "determined but unsuccessful" German air attack Saturday night on a British convoy at an undisclosed area in which one German bomber was destroyed and two were severely damaged.

On the home front, the Air and Home Security Ministries said a few German planes operated over the eastern and southeastern English coast during Saturday night. Bombs caused some damage and a small number of casualties.

British authorities left little doubt as to the continuation of the aerial offensive against Germany and observed that lengthening nights would give the R.A.F. a wider scope.

## Sand Sailors Born In New Desert War

By GODFREY H. P. ANDERSON  
A WESTERN DESERT OASIS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP) — Sand sailors who venture hundreds of miles into the shifting dunes deep in Libya, navigating by the sun, moon and stars, are doing Lawrence of Arabia's job in this war.

Stripped to the waist and bare-legged in khaki shorts, with Bedouin headcloth secured by tasselled cords, these warriors of the wide open spaces travel weeks at a time far beyond desert bases scouting an unknown wilderness of rock and sand.

Camels, which served the famed T. E. Lawrence in the First Great War, are too slow for the long-range desert men of 1941. They are mounted on light trucks

bearing outsized desert tires and strike boldly into wastes that even the Bedouin shuns.

Each man is equipped with special rations and only one gallon of water a day—and part of this must be poured into thirsty radiators.

All day he rides in an open truck with the sun beating mercilessly on his head. Whirling sand devils spiralling hundreds of feet into the air sometimes sweep over his vehicle, smothering him in choking dust. Often one wheels sink in soft patches, churning axle-deep into dunes as liquid as water.

Sometimes there are sharp clashes with enemy patrols and high-speed action across the sands.

near Boulogne," he said. "He poured cannon fire into one of them before continuing hedge-hopping to the sea."

"The other came across a company of German troops. He sprayed the soldiers with bullets as they threw themselves flat or fled for cover."

Kent, whose own bag stands at 12 planes confirmed, was one of the first R.A.F. men to lead a Polish squadron. Some time ago he was posted as instructor but recently returned at his own request to lead a squadron. He received the Distinguished Flying Cross October 24, 1940, and previously had been awarded the Air Force Cross in the 1939 New Year's honors. His citations said he proved himself a "born leader."

Kent received also the "Virtuti Militari," Poland's highest award for valor, December 15, 1940.

### REV. CARLILE DEAD

LONDON (CP) — Rev. John Charles Carlile, editor of the Baptist Times and former president of the Baptist Union, is dead. During the first Great War he toured Canada and the United States in an effort to further good relations with Britain.

Dr. Carlile was a leader in social reform and with Cardinal Manning organized the dock strike mediation committee in the famous dockers' strike.

### JOHN COATES DEAD

NORTHWOOD, England (CP) — John Coates, 76, one of Britain's most famous tenors, is dead after a long illness. He toured Canada and the United States in 1925-26.

night and resumed the hunt Saturday. They camped there Saturday night and Sunday morning started the long trek down to civilization. At 7 p.m. they reached Bragg Creek and an hour later were in Calgary.

Rainstorms through the area delayed the searchers before they reached the plane and hampered the rescue of McGruther.

An R.C.A.F. investigation was opened at the scene. The plane had apparently been winging south around the mountain, when the tail plane struck the top of a tall spruce tree, tearing the tail off.

### WENT TO SCHOOL HERE

Flying Officer Ian M. S. Brown is the son of Brigadier and Mrs. J. Sutherland Brown, 1931 Bowker Place. He joined the Royal Canadian Air Force nearly two years ago. He was educated in Ottawa and in England. He attended University School and Victoria College. He is a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston.

One brother, Captain Malcolm Sutherland Brown, is serving with the Royal Canadian Engineers. Another, Averil, who is 18 years old, has already applied for enlistment in the R.C.A.F.

## Pole Squadron Bags 5 Nazis

LONDON (CP Cable) — A Polish squadron led by Sqdn. Ldr. J. A. Kent D.F.C., of Winnipeg, has been credited officially with downing at least five of Saturday's bag of Nazi fighters.

Returning to its base after escorting bombers over northern France, the squadron sighted 15 Messerschmitts 4,000 feet below. The Hurricane fighters, with young Kent in the lead, dived to attack.

The Nazis were caught napping but before they fled in disorder five Poles had each bagged one plane.

Describing the fight one pilot said that two Poles, after several minutes' fight, lost so much altitude they started hedge-hopping across the country toward the Channel.

"One of them who had destroyed a Messerschmitt earlier suddenly found himself flying low over some aircraft hangars

### Calgary Bomber Crash

## Victoria Flier Killed Instantly, 1 Airman Rescued After 44 Hours

CALGARY (CP) — For 44 hours L.A.C. A. M. R. McGruther, 26, of Edmonton, patiently waited rescuers after the crash of a Royal Canadian Air Force bomber on a mountainside had left him the lone survivor of a crew of three.

Hungry and weak from injuries, he rested in a Calgary hospital today after a search party chopped their way through tangled undergrowth and crags to the 7,000-foot level of Mount McDougall where they found the wreckage Saturday sitting beside the wreckage, nursing his fractured leg.

Nearby were the bodies of Flying Officer I. M. Sutherland Brown, 21, of Victoria, instructor, and L.A.C. F. W. Greenfield, 22, of Madison, Sask., who were killed instantly when their Avro-Anson machine smashed into a shoulder of the mountain, 50 miles southwest of Calgary, shortly after leaving Calgary Thursday afternoon on a routine instrument test flight. The airman were members of the No. 3 Service Flying Training School of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan.

### CARRIED TO SAFETY

After giving him food and drink and first aid, searchers

carried McGruther 13 miles over the newly-made trail to an ambulance which had moved six miles into the forest over a roadway chopped by R.C.A.F. ground parties and volunteer woodsmen.

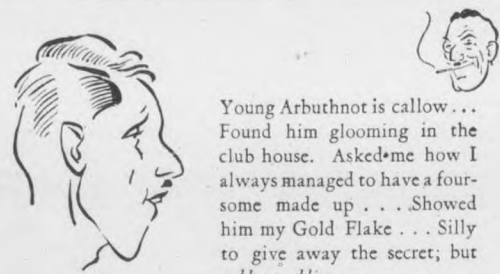
McGruther, the son of W. McGruther, president of the Civil Servants' Association of Alberta, said he was unable to get emergency rations from the plane but was able to hobble down to a creek for water several times while waiting for rescue.

He was encouraged, however, by glimpses of planes flying overhead and said he believed they had spotted the wreckage. A physician who accompanied the searchers urged the airman to rest and would not let him talk much.

### CLIPPED TREETOP

Wing Cmdr. A. D. Ross, officer commanding No. 3 S.F.T.S., said the plane clipped a treetop and crashed 100 yards farther on. L.A.C. McGruther was thrown clear and suffered a fractured leg, cuts and bruises while his companions were killed instantly.

The search parties led by Forest Ranger William Shankland of Bragg Creek, Alta., sighted the wreckage late Friday but could not reach the scene until noon Saturday.



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LONDON (CP) — The Sunday Chronicle said Sqdn. Ldr. Douglas Bader's batman, whom it did not identify, has offered to parachute to enemy territory with an artificial leg for the legless flier, who was taken prisoner by the Nazis a week ago.

Bader was reported to have broken one of his artificial limbs when he bailed out from his plane over enemy territory. First reports said he broke both metal legs.

The batman was said to have made the offer to Mrs. Bader. It was reported previously the Nazis offered to allow a Royal Air Force plane to fly over new metal legs and drop them for Bader.

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## Iran Warned Again

FOR THE SECOND TIME IN LESS THAN two weeks Britain and Russia have warned Iran that unless her government removes all German "tourists" at present operating in a "Fifth Column" capacity in that country it may be necessary to take joint action similar to that taken by British forces in Iraq and Syria. Information has been piling up in London and Moscow which discloses that Nazi technique is making serious headway—with German money being lavishly spent to create conditions most suitable for Berlin's purpose. Evidence reveals that infiltration into the army itself has not been overlooked by enemy propagandists and schemers on the spot.

Economic, political and strategic considerations, of course, are involved by everything taking place in Iran. The interest of both Britain and Russia is immediate because she is the neighbor of the Soviet Union, and because she has frontiers with British Baluchistan, on the Persian Gulf, and with Iraq, in both of which Britain is vitally interested. Germany's concern was more or less remote in normal times; but it is now bound up inextricably with her desire to dominate the Middle East, her urgent need for Iran's oil supplies, and by reason of her successes during the week-end in the Ukraine battle area. It will be recalled that Iran declared her neutrality at the outset of the present conflict; it may be taken for granted that she had no other desire than to be left alone to consolidate gains achieved in settling her large territory. In this program she has made commendable progress. The exigencies of war, however, have emphasized her geographical position; she has become the target of diplomatic offensives. Iran is the hole which Britain and Russia now desire to plug, not on lines familiar to Nazi technique, but by the type of collaboration which will not rob the country of her independence and freedom, but will protect her against domination and exploitation by brigands.

Iran's position today is far from comparable to the ill-organized Persia which in the years before the first Great War and throughout that struggle was the battleground of foreign powers seeking to control the ancient gateway to Asia and the strategically important waters of the Persian Gulf. Patterned very largely on the policy inaugurated in Turkey by Mustafa Kemal, the Iranians have fostered a national spirit—with westernizing influence playing a dominant part in the repression of tribal separatism—while the establishment of an all-round economy has provided for, among other things, a reasonable military defence.

Although Tehran's relations with London and Moscow in recent years have not been as cordial, perhaps, as with Berlin, the Iranian government must have realized by this time that appeasing Germany is another form of national suicide. Co-operation with Britain and Russia—and indirectly with the United States—even though at the cost of progress in the meantime, would mean emergence from the struggle on the right side. Back of the second warning to Tehran, however, is the determination of the Allies to prevent a Nazi wedge being driven into a vitally strategic point in the Middle East. If Iran wrongly interprets her responsibility as a modern state by, for example, defying London and Moscow, Britain and Russia will be compelled to act in their own interests.

## Give Inquiry a Chance

TO A LENGTHY EDITORIAL ON THE "Arvida Incident" the morning paper on Saturday added the final sentence that "no investigation by a Royal Commission" could change the fact that the strike at the huge aluminum plant temporarily immobilized its operations. We agree with our contemporary that the halt of production at the works in question needs a good deal of explanation, not only as to its basic cause, but also in respect of developments of which the general public had been kept in ignorance for several days. It is essential that the Canadian people why he attributed the temporary dislocation of a vital phase of the Dominion's war industry to "enemy sabotage," and why he announced that if arrests already had not been made, such might be expected momentarily.

But when the Colonist, having learned that Rt. Hon. Ernest Lapointe had appointed a Royal Commission of two eminent jurists to "fix the responsibility" and "bring out the facts" of the whole affair, should proceed to quote Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen's version of the dispute—as if he were the one authority likely to command the instant attention of the public—is beyond our comprehension. The very fact that an investigation had been ordered suggests to the ordinary individual that the government, too, requires a good deal more light shed on the matter than has shone on it to date. And there is such a thing as being fair as well as critical.

True, Mr. Meighen on two occasions—one brief and the other very brief—headed a ministry at Ottawa. But the morning paper seems to forget that he is the former Prime Minister who was "ready, aye ready" to

send troops to fight Turkey in 1922, the man who three years afterward wanted a referendum to obtain authority for the Dominion to send troops anywhere out of the country, and who, only a few months ago, calmly announced that if the profit motive had to disappear, there was little use in fighting this war. A most unfortunate choice of authority!

## Rattling the Hierarchy

NAZI PROPAGANDISTS AND THEIR imitators in Rome are trying to make out that the historic meeting between Mr. Churchill and Mr. Roosevelt will not deprive the Axis powers of final and complete victory. The Herr Doktor Goebbels, however, rather gives the show away. He has resorted to the most vicious type of abuse of the democracies, using at the same time all the persuasion he can command to convince the German people that further collaboration by the United States with Britain and Russia means simply that the ultimate reward for the Third Reich will be that much greater. It is strange mental food for a people who, despite their helpless position, cannot be accused of lack of intelligence.

These latest outbursts from Berlin's publicity bureau, of course, reveal the extent to which the official mind has been disturbed by the Atlantic Declaration. The eight points are simple for all to understand, not only as they furnish the basis of a just peace, but also because they make it abundantly clear that the United States has aligned herself with the fundamental prerequisite of that peace—the destruction of the Nazi tyranny. Those Germans who have listened in to the frequent broadcasts from London, who have risked their lives to learn what took place between the British Prime Minister and President Roosevelt, are under no illusion as to the full implications of the new charter for mankind.

Goebbels and Company will have to do better than ridicule the new alliance. There are millions of people in Germany who still recall how American intervention on the western front in the summer of 1918 gave Von Hindenburg his black August day. While the circumstances of the present collaboration of the English-speaking democracies differ from that of 23 years ago in a physical respect, the practical meaning of the Atlantic Declaration in all its aspects presage even more American assistance for the cause of right and justice. The moral effect of this will not be downed by anything the Berlin propaganda factory can produce.

## Record Building Activity

BUILDING CONTRACTS AWARDED IN the Dominion during June of this year aggregated \$85,700,000, which was a new high record for that month. During the first six months of the present year, total construction contracts awarded amounted to \$215,500,000 as compared with \$125,400,000 during the same period in 1940, an increase of \$90,100,000 or 72 per cent.

According to MacLean Building Reports, the greatest increase during June occurred in engineering contracts which aggregated \$59,300,000 as compared with \$15,000,000 during June, 1940. This increase was caused primarily by the contract awarded for the construction of a new power development project in Quebec in order to increase the power resources of the Aluminum Company of Canada—the Arvida concern which at the moment is much in the public mind.

For the first six months of the present year, engineering contracts were 102 per cent larger than during the same period last year. Contracts awarded for the construction of industrial buildings during the same period amounted to \$49,800,000 this year as compared with \$23,800,000 last year, an increase of 109 per cent. Contracts for residential buildings have also been holding up well and during the first six months of 1941 aggregated \$45,400,000 or an increase of 39 per cent over the same period a year ago. The large volume of construction contracts awarded in Canada reflects primarily the sharp increase in business activity generated

## WAR POSITION CRITICAL

From Ottawa Journal

Because of Russia's stout resistance to Hitler's armies there has come disposition to believe that the most critical phase of the war is over. That, unfortunately, isn't true. On the contrary, in the judgment of those best qualified to know, the war has now reached one of its most critical junctures.

To begin with, news from the Ukraine battlefield isn't so good. For example, Mr. Drew Middleton, well-informed correspondent of the Associated Press, cabled from London:

"The German army's double drive on the Black Sea ports of Odessa and Nikolayev may become Hitler's first major strategic gain of the Russian campaign, informed quarters here tonight, and Soviet sources here frankly were worried."

"The Russians say that German occupation of these important ports might open the way to water-borne attack on the Caucasian oil fields across the Black Sea to the southwest."

Mr. Middleton, we may be sure, wasn't writing his own opinion; he must have had good authority for his fears.

Japan in the war would give to Canada a new war front; a Pacific war front of thousands of miles. Japan in the war might make a difference in whatever help United States warships are giving Britain on the Atlantic, make a difference in United States shipment to Britain of tanks and planes.

So let's not delude ourselves with the belief that the worst of this war is over, that victory now is but a matter of time. Dark, hard days are still ahead of us; days that will tax all our fortitude, all our courage and strength. Let us not make that task harder by a complacency or over-confidence that brings only bitter disillusionment.

## Barring None

By Burck



"Believe it or not, am waiting for honorable street car."

## Henry McLeMure

UBIQUITOUS

DEADLIEST OF BORES that has menaced society since the first father yanked a pack of pictures out of his wallet and said "Lemme tell you about my kids," is the military know-it-all.

There is no escaping him in civilian life. He is omnipresent.

He is in every golf foursome. He is at every luncheon table, cocktail party and dinner. He is across the aisle from you on every bus, train and trolley, and he is to be found in every business office in the country.

He wears no uniform, has no official rank, and boasts no connection with any of the armed forces of any country.

But, boy, does he speak with authority. He shakes a finger right in your face and gives you such a lowdown that you wonder why General MacNaughton or Winston Churchill ever let him get out of their sight.

He was the first to know that the Maginot Line was a farce, and claims to have said at the time that it was being built that it was useless. No one seems to remember this prophecy but himself.

He knew Lord Haw-Haw's name long before the British did, and his explanation of how Crete could have been saved is told at every opportunity.

## OMNISCIENT

YOU KNOW the military know-it-all as well as I do. His conversations usually open this way:

"I'll swear, I can't see how the men who are running this war can be as blind as they are. Why, it was obvious to me from the start that..."

He is good for half an hour from that point, and he is just as much at home in Egypt as he is in Turkey. He knows why General Wavell was sent to India. He knows what is in the back of Ribbentrop's mind, and as for the Bismarck business—why, he told the boys at the office as early as February that ships like the Hood were no good, and didn't have a chance against faster, lighter ships.

But it is on the Hess flight that he really goes to town.

To think that any one was surprised by what Hess did, or fails to understand what his mission was, makes him almost snort with disgust. He had been looking for just such a thing for weeks, and before he gets through describing the flight his listeners can almost picture him sitting in the rear cockpit of Hess' ship, handling the navigation and picking out the Duke of Hamilton's estate for the landing.

"When the war is over and the whole story of Hess' flight comes out," he says smugly, "you boys will see that I have been right all along. You never realize until he is gone that he never has told exactly why Hess left Germany for Scotland."

## POURS OUT

RIGHT NOW this living-room general, this smoking-car tactician, this rocking-chair strategist, is busy forecasting and second-guessing on the Russo-German conflict. Predictions of the outcome roll off his tongue as easily as do mispronunciations of such towns as Kiev, Smolensk and Zhitomir.

You would think he was raised with a family of pincer movements to hear him describe this particular bit of strategy. From a source that he alone knows he has learned the number of divisions the Nazis are employing, the exact count of the men the Russians are using, and the total riflepower of the forces involved.

You would think the Ukraine was his own back yard to listen to him tell just what supplies Hitler will get by conquering that territory. He talks as if each grain of wheat was known to him personally and that he called every potato by its middle name.

He is free in his criticism of both the German and the Russian general staffs. Give him your attention and a pencil and he will diagram a rousing mess of spearheads, salients, rear-guard movements and bridgehead attacks which, if employed, would bring victory to one side or the other.

He knows everything, as a matter of fact.

## Elmore Philpott

## BEAR WITH 9 LIVES

The Nazis seem to be finding out that the Russian bear is like the cat with nine lives. They score their supercolossal victories against him—but the cussed old bear doesn't seem to know the difference.

Perhaps, after all, the Red bear is not so different from that famous bear in James Whitcomb Riley's famous Bear Story. The oftener the little boy shot him the higher into the tree came the bear, which turned out to be two.

Anyway, the Red army has been completely wiped out several times. On June 26 Berlin pompously said "the Soviet army has already been defeated in the first stages of the battle." Two days later the Germans added that "Russia's armies have been thrown back and forced into disintegrating retreat." On July 2 the high command itself told the world that "an unimaginable chaos has descended on Soviet armies." Although by July 2 Berlin said that "the collapse of the fighting spirit of the Russian troops can be seen even more clearly," it qualified this on July 12 when it said "in all important sections the Russians are showing signs of a break-up and dissolution."

On July 20 Berlin again said "the fighting ability of the Red army has been destroyed." By July 7 the Nazis were officially said to be at the gates of Kiev. They are still at the same gates six weeks later. By July 14 Berlin papers were printing maps showing Nazi tanks crashing into the suburbs of Leningrad. Meanwhile the Nazis had destroyed the total Red air force not once or twice but several times over. Apparently the Russian planes were like the Red soldiers, "Dead but they won't lie down." Anyway, the Soviet air force seems to be up there fighting—and what is more annoying to Dr. Goebbels, up there over Berlin itself dropping nightly explosive calling cards, marked "Compliments of J. Stalin."

## MYSTERY SOLVED

Although the high command has gone on announcing victory after victory, annihilation after annihilation, the theme has changed on the home front. That great apostle of the Christian religion, A. Schickelgruber, alias Hitler, complains that the whole trouble is that the Russians are not imbued with the same fine sentiments of brotherly love, and charity to all mankind, as actuates his own actions. So in a special announcement a Berlin "official spokesman" says:

"Bolshevism having killed their souls and their religion, the Russians therefore do not fear physical death and what comes after. This eastern war is endless killing. As some human beings continue to exist although medicinal law says they are dead... so the Russian armies, beaten according to all the arts of war, fight on just because the political commissars order them to."

## NO JOKE FOR US

While there is a certain grim humor in these Nazi verbal tortions no sensible person in our part of the world should be under any illusions as to the gravity of the issues in the Battle for Russia. If the Russians can hold the German armies for one more month as well as they have held them for the month just past Hitler cannot win this war. But if the Russians cannot hold the outlook is quite different.

I can conceive of no greater folly than that implied in the comment that one hears so often these days both in private conversation and in print: "It is a fine thing that these gangsters are killing each other off." If the Nazis suc-

ceed in killing off enough of the Red soldiers and destroying enough of the Red army our own part of the world will soon pass into a period of peril more grave than any in the past.

Our own safety, as well as that of Moscow, depends on that same unknown Soviet soldier who is only fighting for his own homeland, as his forefathers did before him, but incidentally stands between ourselves and the full fury of the Nazi onslaught.

## HITLER'S PEACE

In other ways than the anti-Nazi peace offensive, which gives us the initiative on the political front, the tide of war goes against Hitler. At the moment the Germans are undoubtedly making more localized progress against the Russians than they did in the previous period, when their drives against Moscow and Leningrad were checked. But the very nature of the success they are having is itself proof of surrender on their major objectives for this year.

Hitler's only hope of winning an outright victory in this war once he attacked Russia, was to destroy the Red army before winter. Winter comes now in Russia, as it did in Napoleon's time, any time after September 15. While it seems obvious that no armies, German, Russian, or any other kind could indefinitely maintain the tempo of fighting that prevailed for the first eight weeks in the war in Russia—and that either army could crack disastrously within the next month—the probability against total Russian defeat by October 1 is extremely high. Moreover, the odds increase daily, and by giant strides.

Hitler has Stalin in front of him, with armies best able to withstand the blitzkrieg tactics. Behind him he has Father Time. Fiction writers like to talk of fugitives feeling the hot breath of some pursuer beast. The breath which Hitler must be feeling these days, is the icy cold breath of the coming Russian winter.

## CAN'T WIN

My guess is that, whatever Hitler thinks or wants, the German high command knows that it cannot destroy the Red Army this year, and hence has already changed its whole strategy on the eastern front.

Instead of smashing in on the entire front, almost from the Arctic to the Black Sea, as was the case in the first seven weeks, the Germans are now obviously concentrating their drives on more limited objectives.

They may well appear, in the immediate future, to be making more progress than formerly. But this is only in comparison with what they have achieved in the past.

As measured by what they have to achieve, their present moves tell their own story. They know they cannot win the war outright. All their moves from now on will be designed to bring the war to a stalemate ending rather than a defeat.

That is why I think the Nazis will definitely quit working for a total knockout of Russia, and concentrate on trying to reach such things as oil which they must have to attempt to fight the war to a stalemate.

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Sliced 1/2 lb. 23c	Cheshire Cheese Per lb. 29c	Beef Dripping Per lb. 7c
Pride Shortening Per lb. 13c	Medium Cheese Per lb. 30c	Cottage Rolls Tenderized, lb. 39c

## MEATS AS CUT IN CASE—Cash and Carry

Spare Ribs	Pork Liver	Stew Beef
Per lb. 13c	Per lb. 13c	2 lbs. 32c
Shoulder Steak Per lb. 18c	Blade Roast Per lb. 17c	Pork Steak Per lb. 25c
Veal Steak Per lb. 22c	Breasts Veal Per lb. 12c	Small Hearts Per lb. 11c
Oxford Sausage Per lb. 11c	Minced Steak Per lb. 14c	Veal Chops Per lb. 26c

## SERVICE MEATS DELIVERED

Little Pig Sausage	Minced Round Steak	Spring Lamb
Per lb. 24c	Per lb. 28c	Legs, whole, lb. 32c
Centre Shanks, lb. 14c	Plate Beef, lb. 14c	Pickled Ox Tongue, lb. 22c
		Beef Liver, lb. 28c

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Ready-cut Macaroni, per lb. 5c	Sockeye Salmon, Nabob, 1/2 lb. tin. 17c
Bread Flour, Spencer's, 49-lb. sack \$1.39	Sandwich Spread, Nalley's, 16-oz. jar. 32c
Washing Soda, Spencer's, 2 1/2-lb. pkts., at 2 for 15c	Spork, Burns', 12-oz. 28c
Tomatoes, Choice Quality, 2 1/2-lb. tin. 12c	Matches, Pontiac, 3000s. 2 for 15c
Pears, King Beach, choice, 16-oz. tin. 2 for 21c	Seedless Raisins, Australian, 18-oz. 2 for 21c
Peas, No. 35, Royal City, 16-oz. tin. 2 for 19c	Baking Powder, Aero, 12-oz. 14c
Borax, Spencer's, 1/2 lb. 9c	Shoe Polish, Nugget, Brown or black, tin. 9 1/2c
Butterscotch Pudding, Nabob, 2 for 15c	Graham Wafers, I.B.C., 1-lb. pkts. 2 for 37c
Apricots, Royal City, 16-oz. tin. 13c	Fruit Salad, Golden Areas, 15-oz. 19c
Coffee, Breakfast Blend, fresh ground, lb. 43c	Pumpkin, Nabob, 2 1/2-lb. 10 1/2c
Toilet Soap, Canay, 2 for 11c	Cocoa, Cowan's, 18-oz. 22c
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## MARRIAGE LICENSE IN QUEBEC

From Toronto Star

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1. What is wrong with this sentence? "I have seen it other times."  
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "ransack"?  
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Eulogise, enterprise, chastise.  
4. What does the word "repository" mean?  
5. What is a word beginning with ap that means "sanction"?

Answers  
1. The word other times is not recognized. Say, "I have seen it at other times." 2. Pronounce as spelled, not ram-sack; accent first syllable. 3. Eulogize. 4. A place where anything is stored for safe-keeping. "Books are faithful repositories, which may be awhile neglected or forgotten, but when opened again, will again impart their instruction."—Johnson. 5. Approval.

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## With the Forces

### AIR CREWMEN WIN WINGS

MACDONALD, Maj. (CP)—Air gunners received their badges from Wing Cmdr. A. H. Wilson at No. 3 Bomber and Gunnery School yesterday.

At Paulson, Man., Wing Cmdr. R. A. Cameron, commanding officer of the No. 7 Bombing and Gunnery School, presented air gunners' badges to a class of graduate sergeants, including: British Columbia—H. Cooper, J. Livesey, W. C. McQueen, all of Vancouver; W. H. Coulter, B. Hutchinson, T. H. Reeves, all of New Westminster; K. S. Davies, Walnut Grove.

Six Canadians were included in a class of air gunners graduating at No. 1 Bombing and Gunnery School at Jarvis.

Wing Cmdr. W. D. Van Vleet, officer commanding the Fingal, Ont., Bombing and Gunnery School, presented wings to the largest class of wireless air gunners and observers to be graduated since the school opened.

Among those receiving observer's wings were: Benjamin Winter, New Westminster; Thomas E. Pallar, Vancouver.



"So you'd prefer something other than baked beans, eh? Well, what about some boiled beans?"

### Britannia Picnic

Members of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion and their relatives and friends, numbering more than 500, attended the annual outing of the branch on Saturday at the Experimental Farm, Saanichton. A program of sports featured the outing. Refreshments were served.

### To Attend Opening

NANAIMO, B.C. (CP)—The entire Dufferin and Haldimand Rifles will visit Vancouver August 25 as a unit, for the opening day of the Canadian Pacific Exhibition, when the customary street parade occurs.

### Praises Convoy Protection

Home on leave after serving on the Atlantic, Lieut. Peter Bradford, R.C.N.V.R., praised highly today the co-operation between the Royal Navy and the Royal Air Force in cutting down Britain's shipping losses.

Lieut. Bradford is spending his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford, 1037 Cloverdale Avenue. He said that most naval encounters with enemy aircraft on the Atlantic came just before dark, when visibility was poor. Effective means had been developed to deal with raiding aircraft.

On several occasions, Lieut. Bradford said, his ship had attacked submarines. He also experienced air raids on English and Scottish towns. Once while in port a time bomb landed 10 feet from him.

Freckles cannot be removed with creams, says a government publication.

## Montreal Girls Here on \$1.60

Telling their parents they were going for a walk, two Montreal girls, Dorothy Morrison, 21 years, and Eileen Walls, 18, left their homes in July and 26 days later arrived on this coast after traveling 4,000 miles by hitch-hiking and riding in box cars.

The girls are in Victoria now looking for work because they don't want to go back east again.

"I guess our folks have disowned us," said Dorothy, who acts as spokesman for her partner. "We sent them air mail letters as soon as we arrived here a week ago, but they haven't replied."

The girls were employees of the T. Eaton Company in Montreal. They got the wanderlust, laid plans carefully to slip away, and on July 10 started on their journey to the west.

Dorothy had \$1.60 in her pocket and Eileen was penniless. Both wore skirts and blouses, low shoes and ankle socks.

"I've always wanted to get out here," said Dorothy, who was a cashier at the Eaton store. "They told me wages here were much higher than in the east."

"I want to get a cashier's or clerk's job and so does Eileen. She was a waitress and part-time cashier back home."

On about 2,000 miles of their 4,000-mile trip the girls rode in box cars and once on a coal tender. The other half of the journey was made by hitch-hiking.

"Commercial travelers were the best to get rides with," they agreed. "They always insist on buying you a meal."

"On two occasions we went without food for two days, but we made up for it as soon as we were offered a meal."

When the girls arrived in Vancouver they hadn't any money, so they went to the police, who got them tickets on the boat to Nanaimo so they could get to Comox, where Eileen has a married sister, Mrs. Nick Albertson.

"We stayed a week with my sister," said Eileen, "and then started hitch hiking down the island."

"I celebrated my 18th birthday on the way down," she said.

"Yes, we each had a hot dog to celebrate the occasion, and that night we slept in a box car," Dorothy added.

The girls said they slept in cars in parking lots several nights on their trip. One night in Hargreaves, Manitoba, some section workers on the railroad lent them sleeping bags.

"We were chased by police several times when we rode in box cars, but they never caught us," laughed Dorothy.

The girls thought British Columbia, and especially Vancouver Island, was a great country.

"We'll like it a lot better, though, as soon as we get work," they said. They are living at present in the Y.W.C.A.

## Strathcona Lodge French Studies End

The French Camp at Strathcona Lodge, Shawnigan Lake, will close its fourth season Wednesday. Campers from Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia, as well as from sixteen different states, have been attending since the opening on July 9.

Outdoor classes were held in the morning, dealing with French language, literature and civilization. Paul Hartstall of the University of Iowa was in charge of phonetics and diction, aided by William P. Galvin of Stephens College, Missouri. Also from Stephens College was Madame Germaine Aldridge, who conducted one of the most popular courses at the camp, that of oral style. The course in French civilization was conducted by Mademoiselle Aline Chalufour, holder of the degree of Doctor of Laws from the University of Paris. Miss Dorothy Cahill of Roycemore School, Evanston, Illinois, was in charge of the class in conversation, and Joseph Creanza of the Central Y.M.C.A. College, Chicago, was the director of work in drama and folk dancing.

Swimming, sports and folk dancing occupy campers in the afternoon.

Among the campers from Victoria this year were Miss Doris Ashdown, Miss Kathleen Bladen, Mrs. A. C. Burdick, Miss Francette d'Estrube, Mrs. David Doig, Miss Mary Hamilton, Miss Joyce Harvey, Mr. David Molson, Madame E. Sanderson-Mongin, Miss Louise Preston, Miss Lois Rushforth and Miss Naneen Stephens.

Important meetings of the Oak Bay air raid wardens, District 1B, under command of W. R. Ridington, will be held Wednesday evening at 8.

Indians and Eskimos in Canada amount to only 1 per cent of the population.



TO DARTMOUTH—John R. H. Ley, only son of Captain and Mrs. R. H. Ley, Hampton Court, Cook Street, has left Victoria for England to report for training at Royal Naval College, Dartmouth. He was educated at Shawnigan Lake School.

### 4 Brothers Serving

Pilot Officer Wilfred Davis of Victoria has graduated from the Summerside, P.E.I., air training school and has been given a commission, according to word reaching his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Davis, 1070 St. David Street.

Three brothers also are in the services. Sub-Lieut. Donald Davis and Petty Officer Lawrence Davis are in the navy, and Ralph Davis is a second lieutenant in a searchlight battery.



GRANTED COMMISSION — Lieut. W. E. Thompson, formerly warrant officer, first class, in the administration office of Military District No. 11, has been granted a commission and appointed to the District Records Office. Lieut. Thompson has a record of 24 years' service in the army. He served in the Great War as a machine-gunner and has since been identified with the Corps of Military Staff Clerks.

The British Empire, which covers slightly less than one quarter of the earth's land area, has an estimated population of 500,870,000.

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WARD 1—Monday, August 18, C.C.F. Hall, Cor. Richmond Road and Bay Street.

WARD 2—Tuesday, August 19, Cloverdale School, Quadra Street.

WARD 3—Thursday, August 21, Cadboro Bay Scout Hall, Penhryn Street.



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The details are contained in a report received by T. W. Tuffrey, commissioner, B.C. Red Cross Division. According to the report, Eric Moor, Winnipeg, Manitoba, who has been specializing in rug-making, was the champion prize winner, with three first prizes in the exhibition, the first of his kind. Runners-up were Edgar Elment, also of Winnipeg; Charles Tremblott, London, Ontario, and Leslie Denman, Calgary, Alberta.

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Miss Joan Mills, only daughter of Ft.-Lieut. George A. Mills and Mrs. Mills, "Queenswood," introduces "Penny," her Australian terrier to the camera. "Penny" is her first wedding present as Miss Mills is to be married Wednesday afternoon to Lieut. Reginald A. Webber, R.C.N., Royal Roads, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. S. Webber, Ottawa.

## Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison, East Saanich Road, left Saturday on a visit to friends and relatives in Calgary, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lock, North Quadra, are spending a week visiting friends at Courtnay.

Mrs. D. W. Phillips, West Saanich Road, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. B. McVicar, Port Alberni, for a few days.

Miss Doris Ashdown and Miss Joyce Harvey have returned to Victoria after spending a week at the French Camp, Shawnigan Lake.

Misses Ethel and Doris Oliver, East Saanich Road, accompanied by Miss Helen Manning, were on a week's motor trip up-island. The Misses Muriel Hawkes and Rubymay Brown, accompanied by Miss Helen Manning, have left for a trip to the Cariboo to stay for two weeks at Miss Manning's summer home, Canim Lake.

Miss Audrey Eberts, Uplands Lodge, has as her guest Miss Kathleen Hall-Kelly of Quebec City, daughter of the late Canadian High Commissioner to Ireland, the Hon. John Hall-Kelly, and Mrs. Hall-Kelly, Ireland. Miss Hall-Kelly arrived at noon today by plane from Montreal and will stay here for some weeks.

Mrs. N. Iverson, Osborne Court, McClure Street, was at home to her many friends recently, the occasion being her 90th birthday, and was the recipient of many lovely gifts. Mrs. Iverson was born in Dover, England, and is a pioneer of British Columbia, coming to Vancouver in 1897. For the past 25 years she has made her home in Victoria.

Miss Maryann Peterson, Irving Road, accompanied by Miss Elsie Vantreigh, has returned home from a holiday spent motoring on the mainland as far as Banff National Park. While away they were guests at Banff Springs Hotel, and also visited friends in the Okanagan Valley. Mr. Benny Peterson, who has been in the interior of the province for the last six weeks, is now at Shawnigan Lake, but is expected home next Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Britton, whose marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents in Vancouver on Friday afternoon, have been spending the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paterson, Craigdarroch, and left this afternoon for the mainland. The bride was the former Miss Frances Alberta Ormsby. Mr. and Mrs. Paterson were guests at the wedding and returned home on Saturday, via Nanaimo.

Mrs. R. H. Kennedy entertained at her home, Newport Avenue, at the tea hour Friday in honor of Mrs. R. H. McDougall, who is leaving the city shortly to join her husband, Major McDougall, who has been transferred to Calgary. Bowls of summer flowers decorated the reception rooms and a large floral V, in red geraniums, white floss and blue lobelia centred the tea table. Mrs. Hart Henderson presided at the urns, and was assisted in serving by Mrs. Arthur Latham and Mrs. Gerald Lake.

Mrs. Nancy Hayward was hostess at a bonfire party at Quamichan Lake on Friday evening, at which was held a linen shower in honor of Miss Suzanne Hadwen, a bride-to-be. The presents were brought to Miss Hadwen in decorated boats from the landing stage at Miss Hayward's home at the lake. Among the invited guests were Mrs. Robert Adams and the Misses Peggy Palmer, Joyce and Shirley Gooding, Theo Ross, Pen Bailey, Pat Thwaites, Oriole Stone, Diana Charter, Doris Fox, Barbara Stephenson, Frances Matterson and Betty Bazett.

Mrs. P. W. Rawson entertained

## Engagements

### DIXON-KEIR

Mr. and Mrs. David B. Keir, Cobble Hill, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Patricia Margherite, to Sub-Lieut. Kenneth Sloan Dixon, R.C.N. V.R., only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dixon, Calgary, Alberta. Sub-Lieut. Dixon received his B.A. and L.L.D. from the University of Alberta. The wedding will take place in the east at an early date.

at the tea hour on Saturday afternoon at the Empress Hotel at miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Joey Lloyd-Young, whose marriage will take place next Friday. The bride-to-be was presented with a corsage of white carnations and sweet peas on her arrival. Mrs. H. Lloyd-Young, mother of the bride-to-be, and Mrs. P. W. Rawson, mother of the groom-elect, were also presented with corsages of pale pink carnations and sweet peas. Little Jeanie Fatt presented the gifts which were contained in a miniature airdrome over which flew a Spitfire plane. The invited guests were Mesdames H. Lloyd-Young, A. Dixon, L. K. Poyntz, R. Eaton, O. Dumbleton and Misses Jill Lloyd-Young, Dorothy Rawson, Valerie Tye and Margaret Poyntz.

Mr. Jerry McNeill, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McNeill, 501 St. Charles Street, for the last week, left yesterday for his home in Toronto.

Miss Marjory Ferris, on Thursday afternoon, in the presence of the deputy minister and members of the staff of the provincial Department of Mines, was presented with a traveling bag by Mr. Strang, senior inspector, who, in the absence of the chief inspector, expressed appreciation of her services and extended the best wishes of the department. Miss Ferris has resigned to take a position with the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. at Trail.

In honor of Miss Margaret Chinn, a bride-to-be of this month, Mrs. Arthur Hill, Lee Avenue, entertained a group of friends on Friday evening at a miscellaneous shower. On her arrival the guests of honor were served a table of food, and the bride's book was made during the evening, and later supper was served from a table centred with pink and white asters and matching tapers in silver holders. The invited guests included: Mesdames F. Chinn, A. Atwell, J. Dakers, Bergstrom (Nanaimo), D. Emery, G. Thackray and Norris, and the Misses F. Sinclair, Vera Fawcett and Jennie Fawcett.

The Oak Bay Municipal Hall office staff held a presentation party at the home of Miss M. Nickerson, 1262 Hampshire Road, in honor of Mr. E. Hart, whose marriage to Miss V. Saunders takes place in New Westminster on Wednesday, August 20. A few games preceded the serving of refreshments, following which a silver tea service was presented by Mr. R. F. Blandy to Mr. Hart, together with the good wishes of his associates. The invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. Blandy, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. G. Musgrave, Mr. and Mrs. T. Watt, Mr. Leonard Watt, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. P. McKechnie, Miss M. Leiper, Mr. O. G. Sutton, Mr. H. Wood, Mr. E. Hart, Miss Audrey Hart, Fire Chief Clayards and Miss B. Davis.

Complimenting C.P.O. Frederick Eagle, E.R.A., R.C.N., and Mrs. Eagle (née Nellie Doswell), prior to their departure to Halifax where they will reside, a number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. E. E. King, 1853 Gonzales Avenue, last week. During the evening the bride was presented with a pretty corsage of pink carnations and daintily wrapped gifts of linen and a silver cake basket with the good wishes of all present. The rooms were daintily decorated with summer blooms and delicious refreshments were served. Music was enjoyed, everyone joining in singing and concluding with "They Are Jolly Good Fellows" and "Auld Lang Syne." Those present were, beside the guests of honor: Mrs. E. E. King, Mrs. A. C. Burdick, Mrs. P. T. Doswell, Mrs. Bosdet, Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. Doswell, Mrs. E. Ferne, Mr. and Mrs. W. Were, Mrs. J. Bleasdale, Mrs. J. T. Iverson, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. J. Locke, Mrs. H. Thirlwall, Mr. and Mrs. A. Southall, Misses Myra Cicero, Winnie Bleasdale, Barbara Kennedy, Peggy Jackson, Dorothy Stark, Lillian Stokes, Gladys McCall, Greta Hedden, Mrs. W. Harrison and Messrs. Kenneth Waterman, Bob Iverson, Jack Conolly and Mr. and Mrs. J. Fairclough.

The C.C.F. Women's Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. at the New Forum Clubroom, 106 Hamley Building.



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## Restore Family Life, Says Woman Prison Authority

Prison reform is a matter of love. The worst types of women inmates of prisons can be reformed to a normal outlook by sympathetic treatment. This is the opinion of Mademoiselle Gieselle Shaw of Buenos Aires, who has spent the last three months on a survey of women's prisons in the United States for the Ministry of Justice of Argentina, and who was in Victoria yesterday en route to San Francisco to speak before a congress of the Prison Association of the United States tomorrow on "Women's Institutions in the United States as I Have Seen Them."

For seven years, up until 1938, Mademoiselle Shaw inspected women's prisons in Europe and Central and South America. "I had no authority. I just made it my business. When I heard of bad conditions in a prison, I went there. I was often refused entry at first, but I got in somehow, perhaps through 'pull,' perhaps through the wife of an official. One has to do these things. I wanted to see for myself the conditions so that I could recommend reforms."

"Women's prisons in Europe are a forgotten problem. It took me six months to get into one prison in Paris, and then I obtained entry through a countess who was a friend of Paul Reynaud, then Minister of Justice. I had to swear not to write or talk about what I saw for 12 months. And no wonder. It was terrible, like a bastille, with only one meal a day served. At church women sat in tiny cubicles like telephone booths, completely isolated."

Ms. Shaw points out that most women "go wrong" because they have had no spiritual training and no family life. Their lives are unsatisfied and in their search for something to complete their lives they drift into bad jobs or associations with bad men. It is an "easy" life, with no responsibilities to their homes, city, province or state. They are "on the loose."

**RESTORE FAMILY LIFE**  
"We must try to restore a normal family life," teach them farming, handicrafts, cooking. Women attract men physically, but they keep them by their cooking!"

Small groups of 30 to 40, under a matron, should be housed together, Ms. Shaw feels, so that they become part of a small "community" and work together. This is done in some places in the United States, which is the most advanced country in the world in prison reform.

"But they have a lot to learn," she says. Prevention, she believes, is more important than cure. Better education, more spiritual guidance, wider civic

knowledge and more recreational centres would keep women off the streets, open their minds to their responsibilities.

**PREVENTION CHEAPER**  
"Prevention is cheaper in the end. It costs on an average \$200 a month to keep an inmate in prison. To have a large force of officers watching probationary offenders would cost only about \$15 a month per person. And it would save many of them going further astray."

Canada, in Ms. Shaw's opinion, has no great problem with women because it is an agricultural country and there are no great vice centres where money and big population breed crime. There are only 42 women inmates with terms of over two years in our federal prison for women at Kingston, Ont., Mademoiselle reports.

**WOMEN SUSCEPTIBLE TO CRIME**

Women are more susceptible to crime because they are more emotional, highly strung and nervous than men. They are weaker physically and mentally and therefore have less resistance. It is a paradox, Mademoiselle feels, that despite this, women are the strongest influence in the home and must, therefore, be protected carefully.

She suggests that inmates might be required to have medical examinations on entrance to institutions and yearly afterwards. This reform has just been suggested in England. Men and women must be kept completely separate, she also feels.

"Together in the same institution they are extremely dangerous. Women should also sleep in separate rooms, because at night, after the day's work, a woman becomes sentimental, discusses her private affairs, grows argumentative and jealous of other inmates and in three seconds there's a fight."

Mademoiselle Shaw will speak to the National Council of Women in Buenos Aires in October, on "Women's Prison Reform," after making her report of her experiences in American prisons to the Argentine government. She has written many articles on prison reform in newspapers and periodicals in South America, and has lectured extensively. En route home, she will lecture in Central American centres, and is a representative of the Pan-American League.

"Pan-Americanism is a fad at present," says Ms. Shaw. "All movie stars and songs. But it may grow into something really potent. I hope so."

**NOTHING IMPOSSIBLE**

Ms. Shaw was born and educated in Argentina, "but my ancestors are Scotch, Irish and Spanish," she laughs, a high, tinkly laugh. Young-looking for

such a stern career, with red hair, attractive freckled face, she speaks with an engaging Latin accent, waving her artistic hands constantly. She wears a pin bearing her motto, "Rien d'impossible" ("Nothing is impossible") and a design of the world, with the wind overhead, the water beneath and a gazelle leaping across it.

"The gazelle is the Chinese emblem for swiftness and action. That's what I hope I am, and my scope is the world."

She hopes to draw the attention of governments to the state of women's prisons. "I have no political party, therefore I work for all parties, all governments. If I do not get action soon, I will publish pamphlets, millions of them, and distribute them through Argentine. I have warned influential people that if no action toward reform is taken in a year I will publish my findings in a book that will give the plain facts, with no diluting. 'That,' says Mademoiselle Shaw, 'will be a little piece of dynamite!'"

While in Victoria Ms. Shaw was the guest of Mr. R. W. Mayhew, M.P., and Mrs. Mayhew at Shawnigan Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Campbell, Cadboro Bay Road.

Princess Patricia Lodge, Daughters of St. George, held its social meeting Friday night, with the worthy president, Mrs. Cownden, in the chair. Visitor from Victoria Lodge No. 83 was welcomed. Quite a few sick members were reported, visitors to same were welcomed. A pleasant evening was spent in card games, bingo and mock auction was a great success.

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## AIR CASUALTIES

### MISSING

OWEN SOUND, Ont. (CP)—Pilot Officer George H. Fleming of the Royal Canadian Air Force, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fleming of Owen Sound, is reported missing in operations overseas. He went overseas in February, where he completed his training.

His father is the publisher of the Owen Sound Sun-Times.



Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nicholson



Mr. and Mrs. L. Silver



Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Denluck

August brides and grooms include Mr. and Mrs. Robert James Nicholson, who were married at St. John's Church, the bride being formerly Miss Nellie Marguerite Davies; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Silver, the bride being Miss Hazel Rose Holding; and Mrs. T. M. Denluck (nee Carnell), who were married at St. John's Church.

## WEDDINGS

### CLARKE-ABBOTT

The marriage of Winnifred Mae, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Abbott, 116 Government Street, and Mr. Norman Henry Bullard Clarke, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Clarke, 453 Quebec Street, took place in the Glad Tidings Tabernacle at 8.30 Saturday evening, Rev. E. W. Robinson officiating.

The ceremony was performed beneath a white trellised arch and gate, against a background of hydrangeas and gladioli, posies of the flowers marking the guest pews. Miss Rhoda Harrison played the wedding marches, and the soloist was Mr. Leonard Mall, who sang "Because" as the register was being signed.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin gown, with sweetheart neckline, long pointed sleeves, and a train, her veil of illusion net falling from a coronet of orange blossom. She carried a bouquet of Talisman roses and white carnations.

Mrs. A. N. Bell was her sister's matron of honor and she wore a long frock of turquoise georgette, and an old rose picture hat, and carried a bouquet of Baby Royal gladioli and carnations. Little Beulah Bell was flower girl, in a long frock of pink taffeta, trimmed with bows of turquoise ribbon, and a pink organdy bonnet with blue flowers, and carrying a posy of tiny flowers. The bridegroom's cousin, Mr. Stanley Clarke, was best man, and the ushers were Messrs. Kenneth Scott, Arthur Bell and George Chessworth.

A reception for relatives and a few intimate friends was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mrs. Abbott receiving in Queen's blue crepe with a black hat trimmed with blue flowers, and Mrs. Clarke wore grey crepe with a blue hat, both wearing corsage bouquets of Talisman roses. The sit-down supper was served from a table centred with the wedding cake, with vases of pink flowers and lighted white tapers.

Later the young couple left for a honeymoon trip to Banff and Calgary, the bride wearing a navy blue and beige ensemble. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke will make their home at 440 Quebec. The bride's uncle, Mr. Charles Abbott, Chemainus, was a guest at the wedding.

### SMITH-BORDE

At St. John's Church on Saturday evening at 8, Rev. George Biddle solemnized the marriage of Patricia Kathleen, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Borde, 1058 Pembroke Street, to Mr. Sidney Kingston Smith, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith, 1718 Haultain Street.

Mr. Borde gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a wedding gown of white whispering taffeta, with sweetheart neckline, self-covered buttons down the back, and a full skirt extending into a train. Her long double veil of white tulle was held in place by orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of pastel pink Rapture rosebuds with white carnations and heather.

Bridesmaids were Miss Frances Borde, sister of the bride, and Miss Doris Wille, Vancouver, wearing similar frocks of baby blue dotted net over taffeta, with inserts of pink frilling on the skirts, necks and sleeves. Both wore novelty hats of blue with pink and blue trim and pale pink gloves. They carried arm bouquets of pale pink carnations. Little Arlene Borde, niece of the bride, and Donna Gibbons were flower girls, wearing short full-skirted frocks of blue net over taffeta with pink trimming, and each wore a doll hat of blue and pink frilling and carried Colonial bouquets tied with matching ribbons.

S.B.A. William Noel, R.C.N.

supported the groom, and Sub-Lieut. Edward Morbey, R.C.N.V.R., brother-in-law of the bride, was the usher. During the signing of the register, the organist, Mr. Ian Galliford, accompanied Miss Peggy Walton as she sang "Through the Years."

Summer flowers decorated the rooms at the home of the bride's parents, where the reception was held. The guests were received by Mrs. Borde, wearing a mauve figured sheer redingote with hat to match and white accessories, and Mrs. Smith Sr., wearing a navy blue and figured silk crepe redingote and navy accessories. Both wore corsage bouquets of pink carnations and sweet peas. The bride's table was centred with the three-tier wedding cake, flanked by tall white tapers in crystal holders.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Smith left for a honeymoon on the mainland, before making their home in Victoria. The bride traveled in a dark brown pin-striped suit with white sheer blouse, brown accessories, and corsage bouquet of African daisies.

### HAY-DAVIS

The wedding took place quietly on Saturday evening, at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, of Miss Alice Davis of Victoria to Mr. James T. Hay of Ocean Falls. The bride, wearing her going-away suit of French blue with a corsage of pink rosebuds and white heather, was attended by her sister, Miss Bertha Davis. The groom was supported by Mr. Wm. B. Christopher.

After the ceremony a small reception for relatives was held at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. W. B. Christopher, the table being decorated with Baby Royal dahlias, asters and roses and centred with a two-tier wedding cake. The bride and groom left on the midnight boat to spend a few days at Jasper and Vancouver before returning to Ocean Falls, where they will make their home.

### HALL-CLOKE

Dahlias and gladioli in the pastel shades decorated the altar and chancel of St. Matthias Church for a marriage on Saturday evening of Marjorie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cloke, 500 Oliver Street, and Mr. Alexander Hall, second son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hall, 1814 Lillian Road. Rev. Cyril Venables performed the ceremony, and during the signing of the register Miss Marion Mitchell sang "I'll Walk With You."

The bride, given away by her father, wore a gown of white lace and tulle, with panels of lace inset, and a filmy veil which fell from clusters of orange blossom on her head to form a long train. She carried a shower bouquet of pink roses and white gladioli.

Three bridesmaids preceded the bride down the aisle, the senior attendants being Miss Phyllis Davies, in a full-skirted frock of blue chiffon with pink accessories, and Miss Margaret Addison, Nanaimo, in pink with blue accessories, both wearing floral hats in the contrasting color and carrying Colonial posies of flowers in the two shades. The junior bridesmaid was the bride's niece, Doreen Cloke, Vancouver, in a long, full frock of mauve tulle with short sleeves, who wore fresh flowers in her hair, long mittens, and carried a basket of flowers in pastel shades. Mr. Llewellyn Best was groomsmen, and Messrs. James Hall and Bert Best were ushers.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel, where the guests were welcomed by Mrs. Cloke, in a navy blue redingote over printed silk with blue accessories, assisted by Mrs. Hall, in a dusky rose printed chiffon ensemble

with white accessories, and both wore corsage sprays of carnations. Vases of larkspur and ferns, with the wedding cake, adorned the bride's table, and the toasts to the bride and groom were proposed by Mr. Harry Fowler and Mr. George Addison, Nanaimo.

For a honeymoon on the Mainland the bride left in a primrose yellow redingote outfit with blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of heather. Mr. and Mrs. Hall will make their home at 2367 Rosario Street. Guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. James Addison, Mr. and Mrs. George Addison and their daughter, Miss Audrey Addison, Nanaimo; Mr. W. Cloke, the bride's brother, St. Catharines, Ont.; Miss Doris Mathieson and Mrs. R. W. Cloke, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cloke and their daughter, Ann, Allenby, B.C.

### HOWARD-GORDON

Standing before a fireplace banked with gladioli at the home of the bride's parents, 2339 Blanshard Street, Florence, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon, became the bride of L.A.C. John Albert Howard, member of the R.C.A.F. band, and second son of Mr. and Mrs. James Howard, Vancouver, Saturday night at 7.30, Rev. C. D. Clarke officiating.

The bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Frank Nelson, played the wedding marches, Miss Margaret Henry singing "Because" during the signing of the register. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a long gown of white georgette with full-length sleeves and a shoulder veil arranged in halo style on her head. She carried a bouquet of yellow roses and white carnations with streamers showered with heather, pink rosebuds, tiny blue cornflowers and sweet sultan.

Miss Yvonne Dingley, the bridesmaid, wore pale green georgette, fashioned with long skirt and short sleeves. Her matching Watteau hat was tied under her chin, and pink roses and carnations were in her corsage bouquet. L.A.C. Norman Hardie, R.C.A.F., was best man.

A buffet supper was served later at a table covered with a beautiful lace cloth, the handiwork of the bride's mother, and round the three-tiered cake were arranged vases of pink and white carnations, pink tapers and folds of pink tulle. Mrs. Gordon wore a pale blue dress, and Mrs. Howard was in black velvet. Rubrum lilies composed their corsage bouquets.

For a wedding trip to Vancouver, the bride left in a smart black outfit with a posy of sweet sultan and white heather pinned on her shoulder. L.A.C. and Mrs. Howard will make their home in Victoria.

On their return, the bride and groom will live at 2339 Blanshard Street. Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Don Nelson, Leechtown, V.I.; Mr. and Mrs. G. Gordon, Vancouver, and Mrs. J. A. Howard, Vancouver.

### HOLT-FERRIDAY

At the First United Church, beautifully decorated with tall standards of mauve asters and pastel gladioli, Vera Elsie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ferriday, 1770 Fort Street, became the bride Saturday night at 8.30 of Mr. Ralph George Holt, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Holt, Seaview Road, 10 Mile Point, Rev. G. A. Reynolds officiating.

Given away by her father, the bride was attractively gowned in a full-skirted white net dress with inserts of lace, worn with a short lace jacket with three tiny bows of self-material down the front. Her finger-tip veil was attached by orange blossoms to her becoming Mary Stewart headress and

she carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses, pink carnations and white gladioli, with streamers tied with swainsona, falling to the floor. Her two attendants, Miss Edna Creed, the bride's cousin, and Miss Dorothy Holt, sister of the groom, were identically gowned in long full-skirted net and lace frocks with bolero jackets, their caps, Mary Stewart style, having sheer veils to the shoulders. Miss Creed, whose ensemble was in blue, carried a bouquet of pink carnations, blue delphiniums, and white swainsona with pink streamers, while Miss Holt, being in pink, carried a contrasting bouquet.

Mr. Cyril Holt was his brother's best man. During the signing of the register Mr. Ralph McAdam sang "Because." Ushers were Messrs. Norman Duckworth, Grant Johnson, Andrew Swaluk, Toran and Albert Ferriday.

At the reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holt stood between tall baskets of pastel gladioli, and were assisted in welcoming the guests by Mrs. Ferriday, wearing a dusty pink frock, black straw hat with flowered crown, and black accessories, her corsage being pink rosebuds and violas, and Mrs. Holt, wearing a heavenly blue afternoon frock with contrasting pink straw hat and accessories, and corsage of pink rosebuds and swainsona. A three-tiered wedding cake centred the lace-covered table, white tapers in silver holders and vases of pink and white carnations completing the bridal motif.

Mr. Ernie Impett, an old friend of the family, proposed the toast to the bride. During the reception, Mr. Ralph McAdam, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Duckworth and Mrs. Frank Hall sang.

For a motor trip to Banff the bride donned a two-piece black suit, trimmed with Persian lamb, with black and red accessories and black hat, and a corsage of red roses and swainsona. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Holt will reside at 2747 Grosvenor Road.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. Bird, Miss E. Bird of Vancouver; Mrs. S. Wagg, Mr. and Mrs. E. Parsons, Mr. Gordon Parsons of Salt Spring Island; Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson of Powell River.

### REICHERT-PETHERBRIDGE

Two popular young people were united in marriage at the rectory of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, The Willows, on Saturday evening, Rev. Father McGuire officiating, when Doreen Kathryn, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Petherbridge, 1730 Carrick Street, became the bride of Sgt. Jack Reichert, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Reichert, Calgary. Standard baskets of gladioli and ferns made an effective background for the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of white georgette over satin with a fitted waistline and short sleeves, her chapel veil falling from a halo head-dress embroidered in silver. She carried a colonial bouquet of roses, carnations and scabiosa. Miss Muriel Petherbridge, sister of the bride, was the only bridesmaid, wearing a frock of Queen's blue georgette, and her white net doll hat was trimmed with pink flowers and tied at the back of her head with blue streamers. She carried a colonial posy of mixed flowers. L.A.C. Lyle Shillington, R.C.A.F., was best man.

A number of guests were welcomed at the reception held at the home of the bride's parents, the rooms being arranged with a profusion of mauve and pink asters, carnations and other flowers. Mrs. Petherbridge received in a gown of delphinium blue sheer with white accessories and a corsage bouquet of cream roses, assisted by Mrs. W. A. Mulcahy, wearing a floor-length gown of black lace, with a white hat and a corsage bouquet of

rose carnations and swainsona. Four white tapers in silver holders adorned the supper table, which was centred with a handsome cake made by Mrs. W. Williamson, an old friend, and decorated by the bride's uncle, Mr. W. Petherbridge.

Sgt. and Mrs. Reichert left for a honeymoon trip to Calgary, to visit his parents before making their home in Victoria, the bride travelling in a beige outfit, with a beige topcoat of boucle with lynx collar and tan accessories.

### GRAY-SMITH

Standing between tall baskets of gladioli, zinnias and asters in shades of mauve, pink and white, with nosegays of white heather marking the guest pews, Gladys Margaret, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith, 1422 Harrison Street, and Sub-Lieut. Frederick Edward Gray, R.C.N.V.R., only son of Mrs. Nina D. Gray, 1414 Stanley Avenue, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 2.30 in Metropolitan United Church by Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D. Mr. Edward Parsons presided at the organ.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length frock of white lace fashioned in redingote style. A turned down collar marked the neck and small lace-covered buttons fastened the dress down the front. The long sleeves ended with a point over the hand. Her veil of white lace fell in long, graceful folds over her train and she carried a shower bouquet of pink roses and swainsona. Miss Patricia Smith was her sister's only attendant, wearing a powder blue net dress over taffeta with a long, full skirt and short puffed sleeves. Her head-dress of pleated blue net was trimmed with pink flowers and she carried a colonial bouquet of flowers in shades of pink and blue.

Sub-Lieut. Edward Morbey, R.C.N.V.R., was groomsmen, and the ushers were Mr. Edward Fatt and Mr. Wm. Watkiss. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where pastel-shaded flowers were arranged in the rooms. The guests were welcomed by Mrs. Warren Smith, wearing an ensemble of navy blue sheer, self-trimmed, and navy blue hat and accessories, and by Mrs. Gray, mother of the groom, who was dressed in navy blue and wore a natural straw hat trimmed with navy. Both wore corsage bouquets of gardenias.

The bride's table was centred with the wedding cake, surrounded by folds of pale pink tulle, studded with sweetheart rosebuds and flanked by vases of pale pink and mauve sweet peas and nepeta, and white tapers in silver holders. Mr. George Brand, an old friend of the family, proposed the toast to the bride, after which the bride cut the cake.

For a brief honeymoon up-island, the bride wore a bluebell shade wool-crepe dress and hat with navy accessories, and a corsage bouquet of gardenias. Sub-Lieut. and Mrs. Gray will return to Victoria to live.

Out of town guests at the wedding were: Mrs. E. W. Parker, Miss D. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pritchett and Miss Evelyn Pritchett, all from Vancouver.

W.A. to Britannia Branch Canadian Legion met in the board room Thursday, Mrs. E. Jones presided. Two new members were initiated, Mrs. E. Lawson and Mrs. N. I. Clelland. A report was given of the garden party held recently at "Clovelly," home of Lady Barnard, all conveners were heartily thanked; also the report of the annual convention of provincial Women's Command held at New Westminster was given by Mrs. E. Jones. From the convention it was reported funds had been sent for one mobile canteen and another fund is under way for another. Mrs. G. Sheldrick reported progress of concession at the Fair. Members who volunteered to attend funerals were Mrs. H. Norris and Mrs. E. Jarvis; members to place flowers on the memorial tablet were Mrs. E. Lawson and Mrs. O. Dugdale. The annual bazaar will be held in November, Mrs. H. Miller, convenor. Mrs. G.

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Ree, social convenor, reported the card games will be resumed in September. On Wednesday a basket picnic will be held at the summer home of Mrs. E. Dawes at Ten Mile Point, members going are asked to meet at the Coach Lines Depot at 2.

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### GAY RHUMBAS IN YORK MUSICAL

Rhumbas, songs, glamorous stars and romance: You'll find all that and more in "Down Argentine Way," 20th Century-Fox hit in Technicolor now at the York Theatre. A spectacular musical extravaganza, it has Don

Ameche, Betty Grable and torrid-voiced Carmen Miranda heading a brilliant cast.

Expertly blending irresistible music and laughter, the fine story of "Down Argentine Way" has handsome Don Ameche romancing beautiful Betty Grable in Buenos Aires.

Charlotte Greenwood, J. Carroll Naish, Henry Stephenson and many other bright names are seen in fine featured roles. The

picture was directed by Irving Cummings from a script by Darrall Ware and Karl Tunberg. Harry Joe Brown was the producer.

The United States normally uses about 60 per cent of the world's rubber production, 40 per cent of the nickel, 40 per cent of the tin, 45 per cent of the chromium.

All lands acquired for the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan will remain Canadian government property after the war.

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★ "DOWN ARGENTINE WAY"  
★ "NENITA"  
★ "RAMBU"  
★ "SING TO YOUR SENORITA"  
★ "SOUTH AMERICAN WAY"  
★ "MAMAE EU QUERO"  
★ ETC.

### ROLICKING SHOW SCREENED AT RIO

In the midst of depressing war clouds and gloom the movie-makers have come through with the funniest picture ever made about a dictator.

"Let George Do It," now playing at the Rio Theatre, abounds with hilarious humor.

Now in this, one of the most rollicking pictures to hit the screen in years, there are such grand songs as "Count Your Blessings and Smile," "Oh! Don't the Wind Blow Cold," which has special significance in the film and is used to send code messages to U-boats. For sheer comedy and toe-tapping swiftness, "Mr. Wu Is a Window Cleaner Now" is probably the best number.

### BETTE IN UNIQUE FILM WEDDING

Bette Davis and George Brent had just had the unique experience of playing second fiddle at their own movie wedding.

The performers who took the spotlight away from bride and groom in this wedding sequence that proved there are new ways to get stars married in the movies, were a score of colored singers. It was a real plantation celebration they staged on the set of "The Great Lie," now being shown at the Atlas Theatre.

### POPULAR STARS IN SOCIAL COMEDY

Teaming two of the screen's most popular stars, RKO Radio's riotous social comedy, "Mr. and Mrs. Smith," now at the Cadet Theatre, unites for the first time Carole Lombard and Robert

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Lou Costello and Bud Abbott "In the Navy," now at the Capitol Theatre.

## CRAZY GANG IN BALLOON BARRAGE

A demonstration of the raising of the London balloon barrage is ruined by the refusal of one balloon to move. Upon investigation it is discovered to be one entrusted to the "Crazy Gang," members of the balloon barrage who have moored it to a fish and chip stall they are running on the sly.

They are ordered to release the balloon, but as they are doing so a gale springs up and the balloon breaks loose, dragging with it the top of the stall with the Crazy Gang clinging to it.

After a hectic flight over the Channel, the balloon lands "somewhere in Germany," and the boys are imprisoned in a Nazi concentration camp. Here they meet Jerry, an ancient prisoner, who has the plans of a secret weapon drawn upon his back by its inventor. They try to discover the weapon. The Crazy Gang in

## Where to Go Tonight

**ATLAS**—"The Great Lie," starring Bette Davis.  
**CADET**—"Mr. and Mrs. Smith," with Carole Lombard and Robert Montgomery.  
**CAPITOL**—"In the Navy," starring Abbott and Costello.  
**DOMINION**—"Topper Returns," starring Roland Young and Joan Blondell.  
**OAK BAY**—George Formby in "Come On George."  
**PLAZA**—"The Crazy Gang in 'Gasbags'."  
**RIO**—"Let George Do It," starring George Formby.  
**YORK**—"Down Argentine Way," with Don Ameche.

"Gasbags" is now being shown at the Plaza Theatre.

## Dietrich Victim Of Studio Prank

Marlene Dietrich had the ex-

Does Anybody Smell Smoke?

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perience of staging a tender scene with a horse in Universal's "The Flame of New Orleans," which opens tomorrow at the Dominion Theatre.

During a drawn-out preparation for a scene between Miss Dietrich and Roland Young, the star was to walk through a door and confront him in her drawing-room. Director Rene Clair, who had been tipped off, earnestly lectured Miss Dietrich on the importance of the coming scene, while on the other side of the wall members of the cast replaced Young with a reluctant horse. Miss Dietrich swept into the drawing-room and acted superbly until her gaze fell upon her fellow-actor, when she burst into laughter.

## 'BOOGIE' TEMPO IN NEW FUN FILM

Although boogie woogie music, which is featured in Universal's new comedy, "In the Navy," with Bud Abbott and Lou Costello and Dick Powell, had long been played in the deep south, it remained for three young songwriters—Don Raye, Hughie Prince and Gene De Paul—to bring it into wide popularity. Raye and Prince, who first won recognition with their hit number, "Rhumboogie," later brought the 21-year-old De Paul into the boogie composing field. Raye and De Paul have written several new numbers for the service film now at the Capitol Theatre.

Among the boogie woogie numbers in the navy comedy is "Hula-Ba-Luau," in which Raye and De Paul adapt Hawaiian melody to boogie tempo.



George Brent and Olivia De Havilland in "Wings of the Navy," opening today at the York Theatre.

## SUSPECT FORMBY AS PICKPOCKET

George Formby, the star who has made such phenomenal progress during the last few years and ranks today as Britain's No. 1 comedian, is at his best in the new A.B.F.D. release, "Come On George," at the Oak Bay Theatre today.

The story presents him as an ice cream seller at a race course who is suspected by Sir Charles Bailey of being a pickpocket. Music is well to the fore in this Ealing production, for no less than four new numbers are featured at appropriate moments.

## SOAP BOX DERBY

AKRON, O. (AP)—Before a home town crowd of 50,000, 14-

## Politics

### SCANLON CHOSEN

Mayor Charles E. Scanlon of Kamloops was chosen unanimously at a C.C.F. nominating convention Saturday night to contest Kamloops riding in the forthcoming provincial general election.

A resolution approved by the 30 delegates asserted that "total conscription of wealth and manpower is essential to the successful prosecution of the war against Fascism," and that "conscription of the one without the other will result in a division of effort, thereby creating national disunity."

### CARIBOO LIBERAL

Louis LeBourdais, Liberal member of the last British Columbia Legislature for Cariboo, was chosen at a Liberal nominating convention at Williams Lake Saturday to again represent the party in Cariboo in the election.

R. N. "Bob" Campbell, veteran miner and prospector of the Horsefly country, submitted Mr. LeBourdais' name. He said that "constructive minds are badly needed in the Legislature," and praised the Beef Grading Act, sponsored by Mr. LeBourdais, who is now in the army.

### ESQUIMALT NOMINATION

The Esquimalt Central Conservative Association will hold a nomination meeting for the riding in Colwood Community Hall at 8 P. M. F. G. Wade will be chairman.

The constituency was represented in the last Legislature by Flying Officer E. V. Finland Conservative.

### TELFORD MAY RUN

Speculation whether Dr. Lyle Telford, elected in Vancouver East on a C.C.F. ticket in 1937 and mayor of Vancouver in 1939 and 1940, might run in the next election as an Independent, was rife today. It was understood the C.C.F. would run two candidates in the two-member constituency regardless of Dr. Telford's decision.

The chief cause of the speculation was the announcement that Dr. Telford would deliver an address on economic and political topics at a public meeting tonight. It is his first public appearance since his defeat when he sought re-election as mayor of Vancouver last year.

### STEWART LIBERAL

Hon. W. J. Asselstine, Minister of Mines and Trade and Industry, was the unanimous choice of a nominating convention at Stewart Sunday to represent the Liberal Party in Atlin riding.

Mr. Asselstine has represented Atlin constituency in the last two provincial Legislatures.

In accepting his third nomination, Mr. Asselstine outlined the policy of his government and the oil drilling program of the government, which he said is for the benefit of all British Columbia.

year-old Claude Smith, piloting a \$10 speedster, captured the eighth annual united soap box derby championship here yesterday. He also won the international title, beating out Douglas Bone of Belleville, Ont.

## Alsab Wins Futurity

CHICAGO (AP)—Alsab, little brown colt purchased at auction for \$700 a year ago, drove to a length victory in the \$45,420 futurity at Washington Park Saturday to become the nation's leading two-year-old, both in money winnings and performance.

The free-striding youngster, owned by Mrs. Albert Sabath of Chicago, sprinted the six furlongs in 1.11 to equal Tiger's time in winning the 1937 Washington Park futurity.

Woolford Farm's Contradiction finished two lengths in front of Valdina Farm's Orphan.

## Sport Shorts From Britain

LONDON (CP)—Carl Ross, who used to play hockey for Wembley Canadians in the British National Hockey League, is ferrying bombers across the Atlantic. A centre player, Ross was a civil aviation pilot in peacetime, often taking taxi trips to Europe.

Lieut.-Col. Frank Harris, who celebrated his 75th birthday by walking 25 miles from Tunbridge Wells to London in 13 hours 35 minutes when the thermometer registered 86 degrees in the shade, turned to the leisurely game of cricket for his 76th anniversary. As a member of an eleven playing against a team captained by C. Knott, Kent County cricketer, he showed that despite his years he can still bat and field a ball.

Success of one-day cricket matches during the war will be taken into consideration when post-war plans are made, according to Sir Pelham Warner, England's foremost cricket authority.

Dr. Samuel Lyle, 64, racehorse owner and chairman of the Stockton race committee, is dead. During the last war he was commander of medical service in the Ministry of National Service.

Eight days after he escaped death in a blazing stable, Sir Henry Lawson's five-year-old horse Emir d'Iran won the Salford Borough Handicap at Manchester. During the fire Emir d'Iran broke away and was found several hours later grazing by the side of the road two miles away.

## THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m. today—The weather has been cloudy with local fog along the northern coast, elsewhere in British Columbia it has been fair and warm. On the prairies it has been mostly fair and cool with some light showers and thunderstorms in the northern and eastern sections.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, max. 76, min. 54; wind, 10 miles E.; clear.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, max. 70, min. 57; wind, 5 miles N.W.; fair.  
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, max. 70, min. 53; wind, 2 miles E.; foggy.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, max. 80, min. 59; wind, 15 miles W.N.W.; fair.

City	Max.	Min.
Vancouver	76	54
Nanaimo	82	56
Yankee	70	57
New Westminster	64	56
Prince Rupert	70	53
Dawson	68	51
Seattle	82	57
Portland	80	62
San Francisco	80	59
Kamloops	87	55
Prince George	80	42

## Pacesetters in Major Baseball

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting—Williams, Boston, 405.  
Runs—DiMaggio, New York, 112.  
Runs batted in—DiMaggio, New York, 112.  
Hits—DiMaggio, New York, 169.  
Doubles—DiMaggio, New York, and Boudreau, Cleveland, 36.  
Triples—Travis, Washington, and Heath, Cleveland, 12.  
Home runs—Keller, New York, 29.  
Stolen bases—Case, Washington, 19.  
Pitching—Gomez, New York, 11-4.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting—Hopp, St. Louis, 338.  
Runs—Hack, Chicago, 83.  
Runs batted in—Mize, St. Louis, 89.  
Hits—Moore, St. Louis, 139.  
Doubles—Reiser, Brooklyn, 34.  
Triples—Hopp and Slaughter, St. Louis, 9.  
Home runs—Camilli, Brooklyn, 24.  
Stolen bases—Frey, Cincinnati, 13.  
Pitching—Riddle, Cincinnati, 13-2.

## KEEN COMPETITION

A symphony of summer flowers filled the lower ballroom of the Crystal Garden Saturday afternoon and evening when 200 entries in the Victoria Horticultural Society's fourth flower show of the 1941 season were shown to hundreds of admirers.

Competition was keen and it was not until well on into the afternoon that the judges, Albert Smith, W. Elder and Melville Mayhew, made their final decisions.

An innovation at Victoria flower shows, the modern arrangement class, was won by Mrs. A. McKay, her exhibit comprising an attractive arrangement of dahlias on a glass plate. The mixed flowers in baskets was won by Mrs. H. Marshall, her display

Class	Winner	Points
Kelowna	Penitence	84
Penitence	Penitence	86
Vernon	Nelson	86
Grand Forks	Grand Forks	87
Kaslo	Kaslo	81
Calgary	Calgary	73
Edmonton	Edmonton	74
Prince Albert	Prince Albert	72
Regina	Regina	65
Winnipeg	Winnipeg	72
Toronto	Toronto	71
Ottawa	Ottawa	68
Montreal	Montreal	65

## Whirly Will Go Again Saturday

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. (AP)—They can say what they will about Whirlyway's wacky ways, but they can't laugh the screwy skyrocket off the list of all-time racing greats any longer, particularly because of his simple diet of overwork.

Great race horses come along about as often as Babe Ruths, but Whirly has proved his right to a spot in the select set, largely by the way he is handling one of the toughest campaigns ever mapped out for a three-year-old. Just how long it can last, there's no way of telling.

Counting his remarkable run to take the Travers Stakes Saturday in the mud—thereby becoming the first triple crown winner to add the oldest stake in the United States to the big three—Whirly has been to the races an average of once every 12 days since he started his three-year-old running.

He takes off again and heads for Chicago, where he will go for the \$40,000 American Derby at Washington Park Saturday.

The Travers, in which he spotted two other three-year-olds 38 pounds and a dozen lengths in the first mile, and then whizzed past them, was his 11th victory in his 16 outings this year.

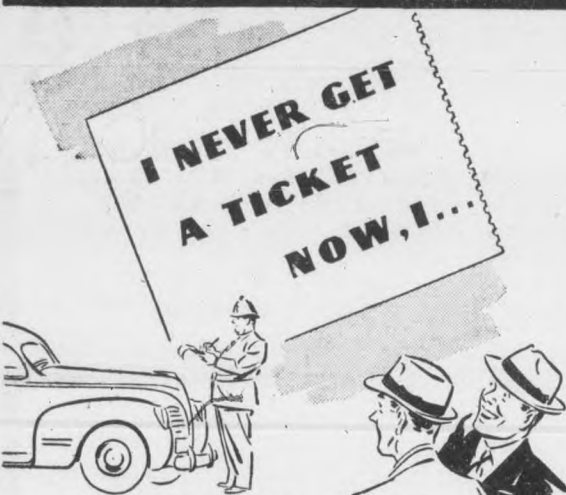
The \$16,900 he picked up for the muddy mile and a quarter brought his earnings to \$275,636, thereby boosting him past War Admiral to No. 12 on the all-time money winning list.

The betters knocked Whirly down to \$2.30 for \$2.

containing golden glow, galaridia, chrysanthemums, montbretia and Iceland poppies.

Mrs. H. Marshall and George Little tied to win the grand aggregate at the show, each obtaining 35 points. Mrs. Marshall took seven firsts and an equal number of seconds and one third. Mrs. A. McKay was second with five firsts, eight seconds and a third for a total of 32 points, and G. Smethurst secured third with nine firsts and a second for 29 points. Six firsts, four seconds and a third secured fourth place with a point total of 27 for Mrs. R. H. Ludbrook, and A. F. Sanders was fifth with eight firsts and one second for 26 points. Mrs. W. G. Giddard and W. G. Burch tied for sixth with 25 points each.

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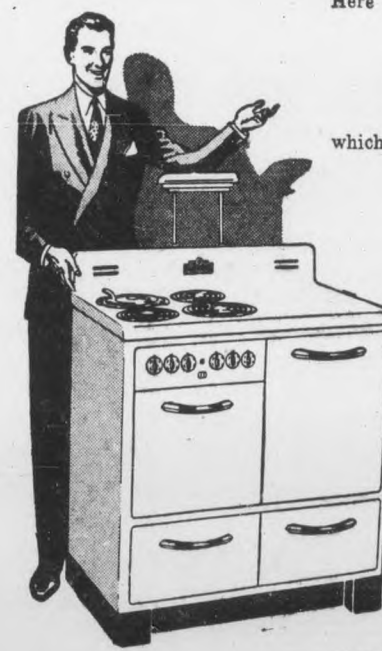
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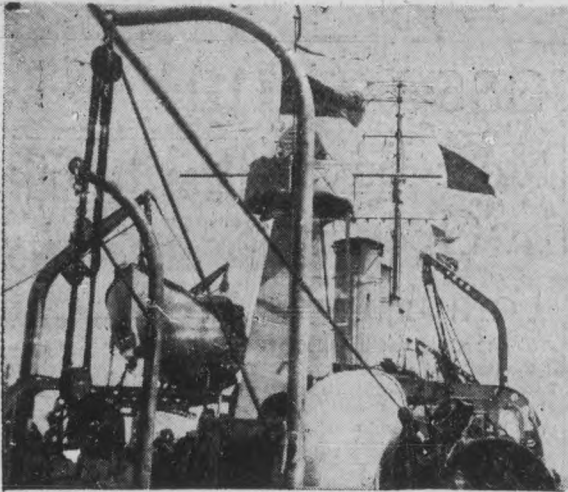
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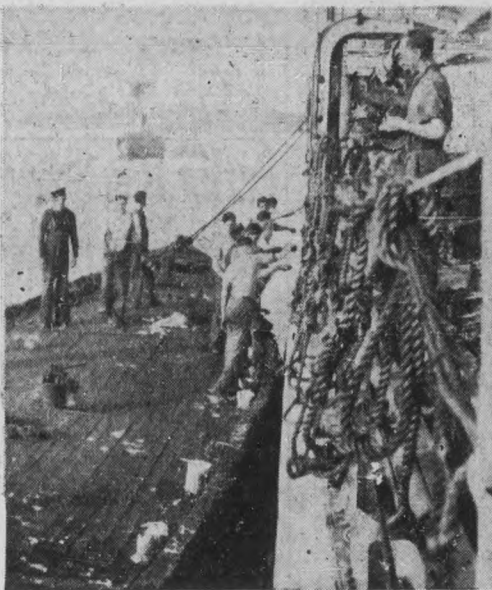




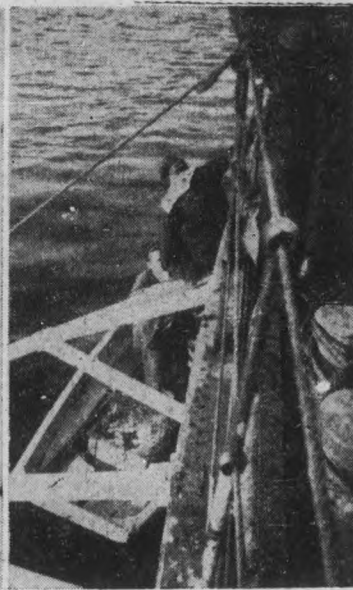
## Canadian Destroyer Officially Credited With Three Submarines



The attack flag up on this Canadian destroyer, means the vessel is carrying out a submarine attack. The crew is credited by the Admiralty with sinking three deep-sea submarines during eight months at sea.



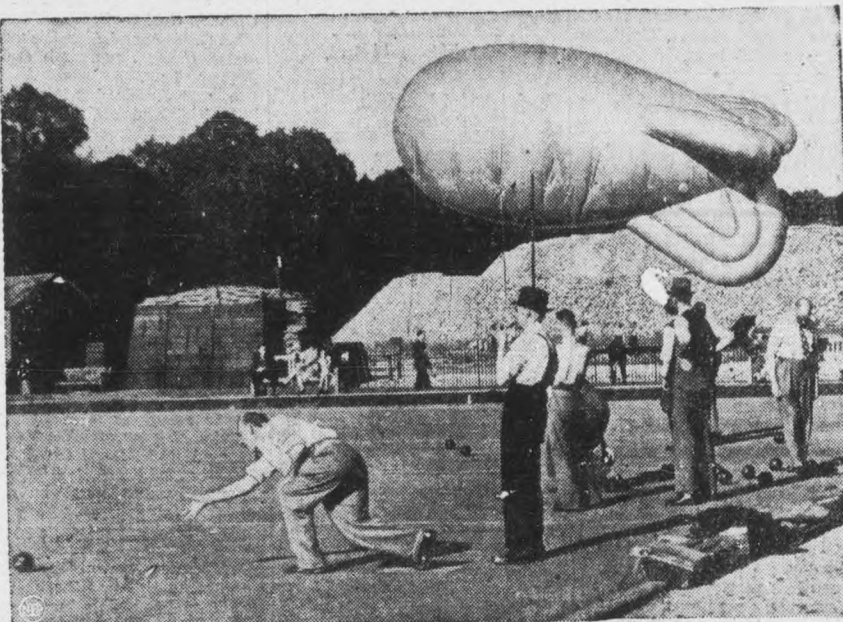
Life at sea is not all excitement according to the Canadian sailor who took these pictures. The less exciting experiences still offer infinite variety, however, as these pictures indicate. At the left the ship is getting a coat of paint, the brush welders standing on a barge. Right is a picture of the crew buying fresh eggs off the coast of Ireland.



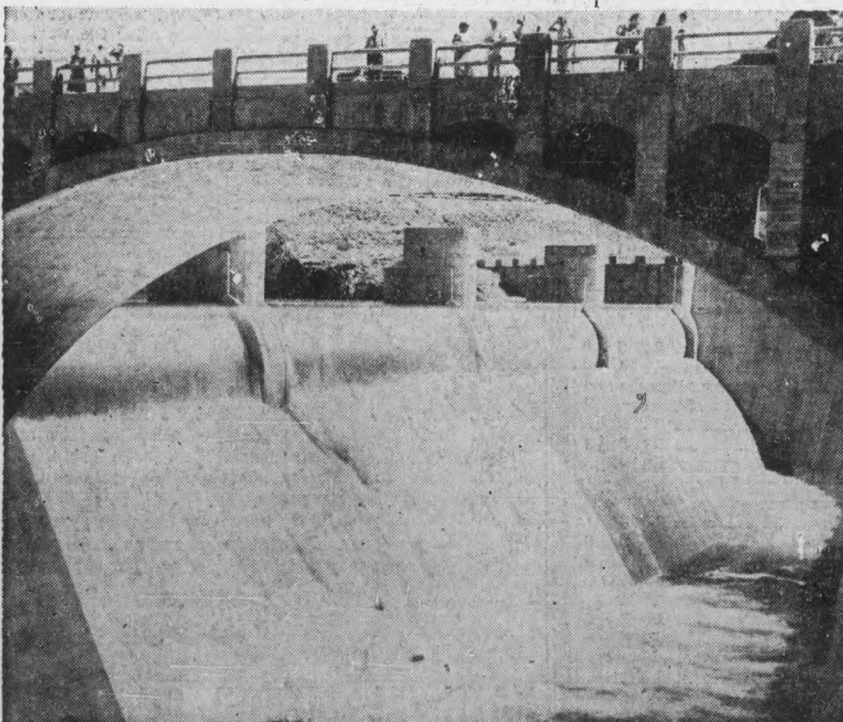
**NURSES TAKE GAS**—As part of a chemical warfare training course, first of its kind, Second Corps Area nurses march through a cloud of tear gas at Fort Dix, N.J. Fifty-six army nurses, all volunteers for the foreign service, took the intensive tests and were highly praised for their fearlessness.



**QUESTION OF THE KING'S TASTE**—Making a tour of an air training corps camp at an R.A.F. training depot, King George casts a critical eye on foodstuffs in process of preparation.

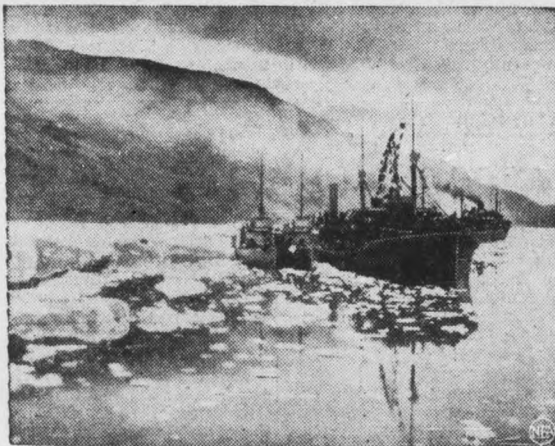


**SHADES OF SIR FRANCIS**—Englishmen bowl in the shadow of a balloon barrage in a London park awaiting Adolf Hitler's long-promised invasion. Sir Francis Drake deported himself likewise while awaiting the Spanish Armada.

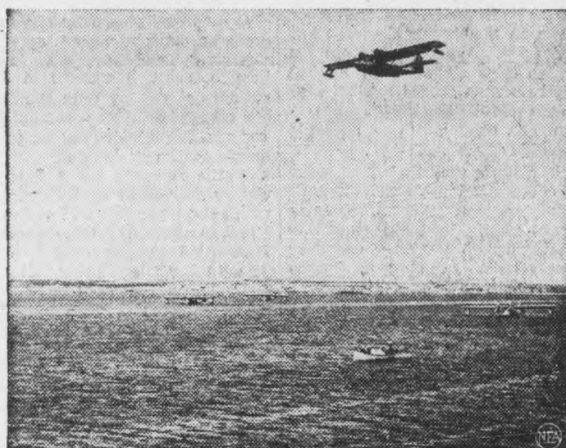


**WATER OVER THE DAM**—For the first time in history, water flows over the giant Arizona spillway of Boulder Dam, opened for the first time when the lake reached its maximum depth. Release of the water was a precaution against flood dangers in event of an early run-off next spring.

## Uncle Sam's Forces at New Bases



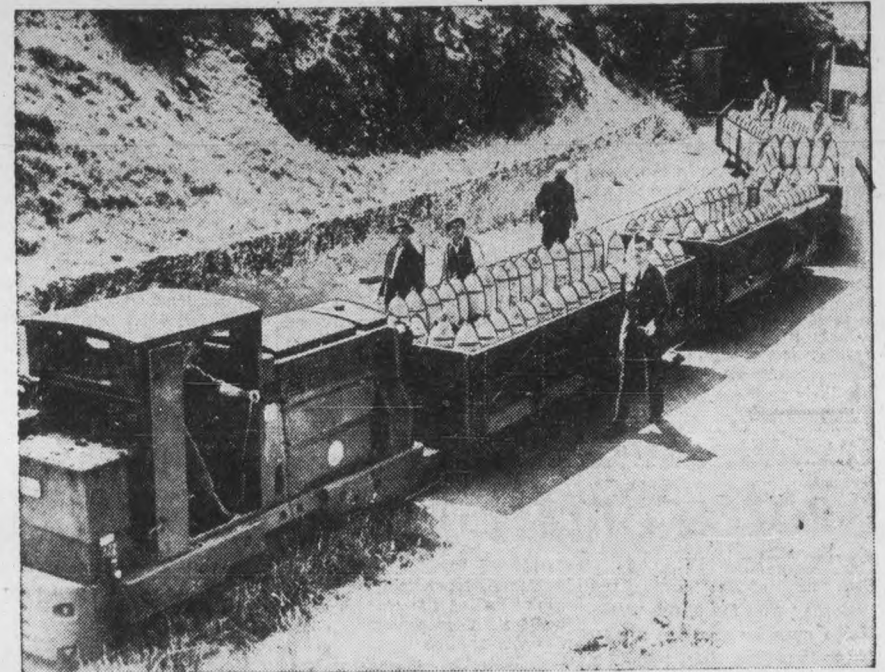
Two American patrol boats are pictured alongside an oil tanker and Navy transport ship near the icy Greenland coast.



A long-range patrol bomber flies over the new U.S. air bases at Newfoundland as other bombers lie in the harbor.



**'THE BEAVER' AFTER 'TANKS, SUPPLIES'** — Lord Beaverbrook, right, British Minister of Supply, arrives in Washington after participating with Roosevelt and Churchill in the mid-Atlantic conference. Here, at the right, Beaverbrook, former Canadian cement magnate known as Max Aitken, says he has come to get "as many tanks, planes and as much food as possible." Lord Halifax, British Ambassador to the United States, listens at the left.



**TRAINLOAD OF DESTRUCTION**—This looks like something out of toyland, but the whole business is deadly adult. A little train is carrying bombs from a Royal Air Force bomb store to waiting planes for an attack on Germany.



**BRITAIN CALLS—AND AMERICANS ANSWER**—When Britain appealed to Americans to enlist as civilian war technicians, hundreds of men made a quick answer. Above, some of the applicants at the British Consulate-General in New York are given enrollment blank. Those accepted will become members of the Civilian Technical Corps and will receive \$24 to \$38 weekly, board, lodging and two-way transportation by boat across the Atlantic.



**'NEW DEAL FOR WORLD'—EARLY TELLS PRESS OF MOMENTOUS MEET**—White House Secretary Stephen Early, facing camera, in Washington, "broke" the news of the Roosevelt-Churchill meeting to reporters, simultaneously with the announcement from England. Early outlined the eight-point peace aims of the two governments as set forth in the vitally important document prepared by leaders of the world's two greatest democracies.







## Miss Smellie Confers With Gen. Alexander

Miss Elizabeth Smellie of Ottawa, organizing supervisor of the Canadian Women's Army Corps, reached Victoria by this afternoon's boat from Vancouver.

Immediately after arrival Miss Smellie kept an appointment with General R. O. Alexander, G.O.C. in chief, Pacific command, at 4, and at 4.45 she conferred with local leaders of women's auxiliaries.

Miss Smellie said she could not give out many details about the organization of the Canadian Women's Army Corps, except that 830 women will be required in the first call and that their organization will be under army regulations.

"We may take ideas from similar organizations in Great Britain, but the C.W.A.C. will be organized to fill particularly Canadian requirements," Miss Smellie said.

## CIVIC STAFFS ENJOY PICNIC

Finding ample entertainment in a program of land and swimming races topped off by a softball game, 450 members and friends of the Civic Employees Federation of Greater Victoria attended one of their largest picnics since the inception of the organization at Deep Cove Saturday.

Races for children and adults brought out an unexpected number of sprinters in both land and water events.

Highlight of the day was a softball fixture between a combined team from the police and fire departments and the City Hall staff. The police-fire squad took the encounter 14 to 4, preserving the unique 1941 record of the City Hall team.

A horseshoe pitching competition was also held. Prizes for the various events were presented as they were completed by Sergeant A. H. Bishop.

The party left the City Hall at 10.30 in the morning in seven buses and private cars, had a luncheon on the grounds as guests of the association and returned in the evening.

The function was arranged and conducted by a committee including Tom Harris, secretary of the federation, Sergeant Bishop, Frank Briers, Harold Hall, Reg Betts and Joe Watson.

A charge against an air force cook from Patricia Bay of destroying property which resulted from the wrecking of tables, chairs and dishes in the Don Mc Cafe, Fisgard Street, early Saturday morning, was withdrawn in City Police Court today. The airman paid for the damage done.

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## Town Topics

Members of the Victoria Boys' Band will hold a rehearsal Tuesday evening at 7.15. A meeting of parents will follow.

Details of faults the city has found in the garbage crusher built for it by the Victoria Machinery Depot Co. are asked in a letter from the V.M.D. to the city clerk's office.

Tonight at 8 in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium E. E. Richards will speak on "A New World Out of the Sea," in which he will deal with the Churchill-Roosevelt meeting in the Atlantic and what it means to the world.

The city was informed rebates for certain classes of employment declared non-insurable on July 29 could be claimed only from July 30. The rebates are due on payments made under the national unemployment insurance scheme.

Police are investigating a report that \$78 had been stolen from members of the crew of Princess Kathleen. Gordon C. James told police someone had picked his pockets in his room Saturday night and had stolen a \$20 bill from his wallet. He said that \$58 had been stolen from other members of the crew.

Alderman B. J. Gadsden applied in writing to the City Council today for leave of absence for one month to attend to farm duties in southern Manitoba. The alderman explained his head man on the prairie farm had been stricken seriously ill and his own presence was needed during the harvest season. He was scheduled to leave today for Manitoba.

Hundreds of Victorians and tourists gathered at Beacon Hill Park yesterday afternoon to hear a concert by the massed bands of the army, navy and air force. The bands played on a stand in the Douglas Street football field, facing the slope of Beacon Hill. They were conducted by Bandmaster H. G. Cuthbert, R.C.N. V.R., Bandmaster G. E. Bower and Bandmaster A. E. Tuttle, R.C.A.F.

Opportunity of all Canadian Club members to pay tribute to their honorary president will be given at a luncheon to Lieutenant-Governor Eric W. Hamber at the Empress Hotel, 12.15 Friday. "A large attendance is requested as evidence of our individual and community appreciation of our guest's outstanding service to British Columbia during his tenure of office," says a notice of the luncheon.

Barnard Walton of Philadelphia, executive secretary of the American Friends Service Committee, which is working in the war zones of Europe to help war victims, specially in France and other occupied areas, and Raymond Booth of Toronto, who is active in Quaker work in eastern Canada, are visiting Victoria. They will speak at a public meeting at the Friends Meeting House, 1829 Fern Street, this evening at 7.30 on "Quaker Work for War Victims."

## Bus Drivers Ask 75 Cents an Hour

Two Blue Line bus drivers testified before a board of arbitration today that they would not accept an increase from 50 to 55 cents an hour in wages even if the board's award granted them recognition of National Drivers' Union No. 1. They are asking for 75 cents an hour.

Maris Hale, employers' arbitrator, put the question to William Landy and Henry M. Woolcock. He asked if they would be satisfied with 55 cents an hour, 80 cents for overtime, no change in working hours and union recognition.

"No, 55 cents an hour is not enough," said Landy. Woolcock made a similar reply. J. Robertson, general organizer for the union, this morning finished presenting the evidence of the drivers and H. L. Sangster opened the company's case.

Mr. Sangster questioned Woolcock as to the pay cheques he had received in recent weeks, which amounted to varying figures between \$28 and \$31. To reach these amounts Woolcock said he had had to work overtime on Sundays.

David Meharey, insurance salesman, called by Mr. Sangster, said that public liability and property damage rates for Victoria were considerably lower than in Vancouver. This testimony related to the claim of some drivers that the driving hazard in Victoria was greater than other places.

Before the luncheon adjournment the board arranged to get drivers from other companies not involved in the dispute to testify as to their comparative wages.

## Week-end Accidents

Fourteen-year-old Anna Nath who came to Victoria from the Cariboo to stay with her uncle, F. G. Cook, R.M.D., 4, Shelbourne Street, was taken to Jubilee Hospital today suffering from leg injuries she received when her bicycle collided with a car on Shelbourne St. near Kings Road.

The accident was at 7.55 this morning while the girl was riding along the road with her uncle. Mr. Cook turned east on Kings Road. Anna did not see him turn until she got past the corner. She turned in the middle of the street and collided with a car driven by Wm. T. Murdoch, Ruby Road, Saanich.

E. Michael, Cordova Bay, took the girl to hospital, where Dr. S. Janovsky attended her for a possible fracture of the left ankle.

Miss Alice Kater received leg injuries early yesterday morning when a car in which she was riding, driven by Percy A. Strong, 2460 Dalhousie Street, collided with a car driven by Arthur J. Halpen, 835 Bay Street, on View and Quadra Streets, police reported.

Both cars were damaged considerably. Miss Kater was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital for treatment.

Head injuries were received by Leading Seaman J. E. Crapp, 43 Logan Street, at 10.25 Saturday night when his bicycle was struck by a car said to have been driven without any lights on the Johnson Street extension.

Two men who were in the car took the injured sailor to the home of J. L. Bligh, 400 Craigflower Road, where he was given first aid.

Steve Karnus, 1770 Blanshard Street, told city police Saturday afternoon his car had been damaged at Douglas and Johnson Streets when run into by another car driven by Gordon Scott, Duncan.

## War Guest Hears Parents Broadcast

Hilda Lamb, one of the many English war guests in Victoria, yesterday heard the voices of her parents over the weekly "Hello Children" program of the CBC. Hilda, who is 12 years old, was supposed to hear her mother two weeks ago but bad atmospheric conditions at the time prevented the relay of the program. This time, however, the broadcast did come through, and all Hilda could say was that she was thrilled and excited.

Her mother greeted her cheerily and gave the girl love from her relations at home. While at school here, Hilda had her picture taken with the rest of her class, sending a copy to her parents in Sunderland. Mrs. Lamb said that she had received it and remarked how well Hilda and her classmates looked. She asked her daughter if she was on holiday now and asked her how she liked school here.

Mr. Lamb also greeted his child, sending his love and the regards of relations in the Old Country. Hilda came to Victoria a year ago this month to stay with her

## Help in Recruiting Sought From Industry

A joint appeal to industry and labor has been made by Major-General R. O. Alexander, general officer commander in chief, Pacific Command, to meet Canada's urgent need for manpower.

Employers have been asked to co-operate by permitting selected military officers to address workers during operating hours and trades union representatives have also been included in the appeal for many tradesmen recruits.

Following a frank statement by General Alexander to the executive of the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council, that body pledged itself to unconditional support to voluntary enlistment in the army. The council executive also gave full consent to recruiting officers addressing workers on the immediate need for army tradesmen.

All employers of labor in the province are being requested to afford facilities for recruiting officers to explain the need for men to maintain the steady required flow of enlistments. Many leading industrial firms have already offered co-operation to the plan.

"I appreciate very fully the patriotic and co-operative way in which most employers have permitted employees to enlist in the navy, army and air force," General Alexander said.

"There is still, however, a growing and vital need for recruits in the army. To meet our essential requirements it is necessary that not less than 400 men be enlisted every working day in the whole Dominion."

"The quota for British Columbia has been fixed at 54 men each day. This may seem a high figure, but I am confident that if the urgency is explained to the people of the province, the number will be forthcoming."

## TRADESMEN NEEDED

General Alexander explained

that the present greatest need is for tradesmen. A great deal is being done in training tradesmen after enlistment, he said, but this takes valuable time and to meet reinforcement quotas men with previous trade training, or of training calibre are urgently required.

"I would like the public to know that we have the highest possible view of our responsibility toward the men who enlist," General Alexander said. "It is our constant aim to see to it that in a physical, mental and moral sense, every man who leaves the army when his term of service is ended will be a better citizen of Canada."

Today a much larger proportion of tradesmen is needed in the army than in former years, General Alexander said. This is obvious when the complexity of the present day army is considered; its use of a rapidly increasing number of specialists, its mechanization, its need for construction and maintenance of so vast a variety of weapons, vehicles and engineering projects.

The main purpose of training tradesmen is to make the army more efficient as a fighting machine, and hence speed the winning of the war. There is another purpose as well. In peace as well as war, skilled tradesmen are of more value to the country than unskilled laborers. They are essential to the full development of Canada's natural resources.

In the army all tradesmen are also soldiers and it is as soldiers that they receive their first training just as all recruits must do. This training requires two months at a basic training centre prior to being sent to tradesmen's training.

Apart from this need for tradesmen, recruits are wanted for all branches of army service: Infantry, signals, ammunition supply companies, and the many specialized branches of a modern army.

## Burnside Fire Gives Trouble

Saanich firemen were still fighting a grass and bush fire this afternoon which started Sunday afternoon on Raper's Farm, Burnside Road.

The department was called to the scene at 4.50 and had difficulty getting to the fire which covered about five or six acres. They stayed on hand all night.

A government building on Finerty Road near the Gordon Head military camp was threatened by a grass fire Sunday afternoon.

The Saanich department attended the fire at 12.15 and were at the scene until 9.45 last night fighting the flames.

At 10.12 in the morning the department extinguished a grass fire on Burnside Road. City firemen were called to 1235 Fairfield Road at 2.15 this morning when a hot iron left on an ironing board filled the house with smoke.

Sunday the city department extinguished a grass fire in the 1200 block of Johnson Street at 11.10 in the morning, a bush fire at Mount Stephen and Ryan Streets at 2.15 in the afternoon and a grass fire at Springfield Avenue and Wilson Street at 5.43. A false alarm to Topaz Avenue and Rose Street was answered at 8.50 Sunday night.

The Oak Bay department extinguished a sawdust blaze in the Exhibition Grounds at the Willows Sunday morning at 9.25; a grass fire on Cadboro Bay Road opposite the Uplands Golf Course at 4.53; a grass fire at Nottingham and Dewdney Avenues at 5.35 and a grass fire in the 300 block of Beach Drive at 5.45.

## Needs More Firemen

Fire Chief Alex Munroe of the city department issued another call today for men to serve as auxiliary firemen. Thirty men have joined the auxiliary department and 70 more are needed.

The men are taught fire fighting methods and work and learn how to cope with sabotage and war emergencies. Night classes are given.

## OBITUARY

McLEISH—Mrs. Helen Inches McLeish, wife of Archibald Lindsay McLeish of 2820 Somass Drive, Oak Bay, died yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, aged 73. Mrs. McLeish was born in Scotland and came with her husband three months ago from San Mateo, Calif. The remains will be forwarded by Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. to San Mateo for interment at Cypress Lawn Cemetery.

PENHALLURICK—Mrs. Mary Penhallurick, aged 78, of Midguard Street, Mount Tolmie, died on Friday evening at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. She was born in Smethwick, Birmingham, England, and had been a resident of Saanich for 34 years. She leaves her widower, William Woodman Penhallurick; one son, William, at present serving with the Canadian army in England; one daughter, Mrs. A. McCoubrey of this city; one sister, Mrs. E. Preece, in England, and two brothers, Thomas and George Slim, in England; also five grandchildren. The funeral will leave Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 for St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, where Rev. F. Pike will conduct services at 3. Interment in the churchyard.

COLLEY—Rev. C. Devenish conducted last rites at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Saturday for Frank Colley. Interment was at Colwood, pallbearers being: T. Hadfield, R. Hadfield, C. Sluggett and C. Venables.

WYCKOFF—Funeral service for Arthur Stanley Wyckoff was held Saturday afternoon in the Sands Mortuary Chapel, A. Hartshorne officiating. Pallbearers were: William, Fred and George Wyckoff, Charles Copeland, A. H. Stott and A. G. Oliver. Cremation at Royal Oak.

CURRIE—Daniel Archibald Currie, 72, 788 Hillside Avenue, died at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Sunday. He was born in Ontario and had lived here six months and for many years in Kelowna, B.C. He leaves his widow, five sons and three daughters: Chance and William of Alberta, Ralph of Pennsylvania, U.S.A.; James of Rock Bay, and Archie, with whom he resided since coming to the city; Mrs. R. J. Bush of Alberta, Mrs. E. Armsstrong of Kamloops, and Mrs. H. Cornish of Westbank.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday in McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel at 3.30, Rev. W. W. McPherson of Kelowna officiating; interment at Royal Oak.

## Overnight Entries For Brighthouse Park

First race—Claiming, four-year-olds and up; six furlongs:  
Crushen ..... 111  
\*Chestnut Baby ..... 106  
Nurse Simony ..... 104  
Jungle Hen ..... 104  
Broadway Star ..... 116  
Cisco Kid ..... 109  
\*San Anselmo ..... 111  
East Calling ..... 111  
Golden Somers ..... 109  
Bubbling Lake ..... 111  
Maizie B ..... 104  
Pharima ..... 104

Second race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up; six furlongs:  
\*Mac Phalaris ..... 108  
Ascot Jane ..... 105  
\*Vade Retra ..... 110  
Emir ..... 117  
Marion Somers ..... 105  
Frisco Boy ..... 117  
\*Goldie's Pride ..... 107  
Sis Simony ..... 108  
Once In Awhile ..... 112  
Eye Knockor ..... 112  
Si Green ..... 113  
Dodd ..... 120

Third race—Claiming, three-year-olds, foaled in western Canada; six furlongs:  
Miss Hominy ..... 110  
\*Territorial ..... 105  
Leba Trebor ..... 110  
\*Swift Heels ..... 105  
\*Roi D'Or ..... 105  
Peggy Dot ..... 110  
Trivelda ..... 105  
Flagboro ..... 110  
George Somers ..... 110

Fourth race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up; six furlongs:  
Margery Daw ..... 106  
Banquo ..... 111  
Hill Wind ..... 106  
Valdina Phara ..... 102  
Pipe Down ..... 118  
Selfish Joss ..... 108  
Patolan ..... 102  
Rose Agaln ..... 101  
Adopted ..... 111  
Justy Betty ..... 100  
Dark Devil ..... 118  
Ad Lib II ..... 106

Fifth race—The Breeders' Handicap, two-year-olds bred in British Columbia, six furlongs:  
Red Fez ..... 102  
Sir Broxa ..... 110  
Ruby Pagan ..... 104  
Brilliant Help ..... 105  
Riverworth ..... 110  
Maginot Line ..... 120  
Baron A. A. ..... 114

Sixth race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards:  
Ancient Rites ..... 112  
Golden Belt ..... 106  
Winged Lady ..... 108  
Ascot Maid ..... 102  
\*Proud Harry ..... 107  
Finished Gift ..... 105  
Blind Fannie ..... 108  
Top Star ..... 118  
Barrel o' Fun ..... 100  
\*Chesterton ..... 113  
Go-Go ..... 111  
Nultiscu ..... 113

Seventh race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards:  
Scotch Jean ..... 102  
Black Chick ..... 100  
Napetion ..... 114

## OBITUARY

McLEISH—Mrs. Helen Inches McLeish, wife of Archibald Lindsay McLeish of 2820 Somass Drive, Oak Bay, died yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, aged 73. Mrs. McLeish was born in Scotland and came with her husband three months ago from San Mateo, Calif. The remains will be forwarded by Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. to San Mateo for interment at Cypress Lawn Cemetery.

PENHALLURICK—Mrs. Mary Penhallurick, aged 78, of Midguard Street, Mount Tolmie, died on Friday evening at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. She was born in Smethwick, Birmingham, England, and had been a resident of Saanich for 34 years. She leaves her widower, William Woodman Penhallurick; one son, William, at present serving with the Canadian army in England; one daughter, Mrs. A. McCoubrey of this city; one sister, Mrs. E. Preece, in England, and two brothers, Thomas and George Slim, in England; also five grandchildren. The funeral will leave Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 for St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, where Rev. F. Pike will conduct services at 3. Interment in the churchyard.

COLLEY—Rev. C. Devenish conducted last rites at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Saturday for Frank Colley. Interment was at Colwood, pallbearers being: T. Hadfield, R. Hadfield, C. Sluggett and C. Venables.

WYCKOFF—Funeral service for Arthur Stanley Wyckoff was held Saturday afternoon in the Sands Mortuary Chapel, A. Hartshorne officiating. Pallbearers were: William, Fred and George Wyckoff, Charles Copeland, A. H. Stott and A. G. Oliver. Cremation at Royal Oak.

CURRIE—Daniel Archibald Currie, 72, 788 Hillside Avenue, died at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Sunday. He was born in Ontario and had lived here six months and for many years in Kelowna, B.C. He leaves his widow, five sons and three daughters: Chance and William of Alberta, Ralph of Pennsylvania, U.S.A.; James of Rock Bay, and Archie, with whom he resided since coming to the city; Mrs. R. J. Bush of Alberta, Mrs. E. Armsstrong of Kamloops, and Mrs. H. Cornish of Westbank.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday in McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel at 3.30, Rev. W. W. McPherson of Kelowna officiating; interment at Royal Oak.

## Provincial Voters' List

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT (RURAL)

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K. G. WIPER, Registrar of Voters, Esquimalt Electoral District, Court House, Victoria, B.C.

## Fine Progress In Seed Growing

W. T. G. Weiner, secretary of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, who is visiting Victoria today said he was delighted with the progress being made in the development of certified and registered seeds in British Columbia.

Shortage of seeds caused by war conditions has turned several B.C. growers into this field.

Mr. Weiner conferred with agricultural department officials here today.

## Permit Granted

A permit for \$13,500 improvement to the front of Christ Church Cathedral was issued by the city building inspector's department here today.

Work calls for construction of the southwest tower to match that on the northwest, for a vaulted ceiling in the front and for alterations to the entrance

## New Gold Strike To Be Surveyed

Dr. M. S. Hedley, mines department engineer, has gone into the Yalakon area, north of Bridge River to make a report on a new gold strike there, the mines department said today.

Beyond the preliminary news report of high assay gold ore found in the district the department has no other information but is hopeful it may turn out to be a worthwhile find, Dr. J. F. Walker, deputy minister, said today.

City police reported Saturday an attempt had been made to break into the office of Dr. G. H. Keown, 745 Pandora Avenue.

Legato ..... 107  
Merchiston ..... 100  
Jonie's Girl ..... 109  
Lady Giovando ..... 102  
Wild Deer ..... 103  
Belle Marcus ..... 100  
Substitute race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up; six furlongs:  
\*Torey ..... 113  
Happy Returns ..... 111  
Bell Rap ..... 113  
Barbrayn ..... 102  
Halstead ..... 118  
Avondale King ..... 111  
Capt. Larco ..... 118  
\*Broadway Breeze ..... 106  
Billy Easter ..... 111  
Belle Park ..... 106  
Arab Somers ..... 105  
Bill's Rose ..... 108  
Weather clear, track fast, first post 5 p.m.  
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Other permits issued today cover construction of a \$4,300 public garage at 815 View Street, where Luney Bros. Ltd. are doing the work and a \$3,200 four-room home with dinette for Mr. and Mrs. T. McPhail at 3042 Albany Street.  
For St. John's A.Y.F.A. beach party on Tuesday evening members and friends are asked to meet at the auditorium at 7.30.

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**OTTAWA (CP)—** Canadian stocks of frozen fish in storage August 1 totaled 33,400,000 pounds, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

There were 29,900,000 pounds of frozen fish, compared with 27,600,000 pounds on the same date last year, and 3,500,000 of frozen smoked fish, compared with 2,300,000 on August 1, 1940. Compared with revised figures for July, 1941, there was an increase of 3.3 per cent frozen fish and 19 per cent frozen smoked fish.

Apparent net into-storage movement of frozen fish in July, 1941, was 8,000,000, compared with 9,100,000 in July, 1940.

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**OPENS CLUB—Mrs. John G. Winant, left, wife of the U.S. Ambassador to Great Britain, and Mrs. Winston Churchill, wife of the Prime Minister, walk between the lines of a guard of honor of Auxiliary Territorial Service girls at the opening of the New England Services Club at Reigate, England, for the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. Winant officially opened the club, which is for the use of women in the Services.**



**BRITISH, U.S. POPULATIONS**  
**Show Healthy Growth**  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Britain and the United States are entering a period of population expansion.

Until now many statisticians have maintained that the two countries had passed the period of "200 years in blossom" and that their civilizations were beginning to decline.

The newest figures, however, indicate these experts have been walling at the wrong wall. Britain, despite all the bombings, is holding her own in the number of babies born; there are as many or more marriages today than there were in peacetime, and the birth rate in the United States is climbing.

Guy Irving Burch, director of the population reference bureau and leading United States analyst of population trends, said that at the present rate the population of the United States will rise from the present 132,000,000 to

about 152,000,000 in 1980, providing the country can support and properly educate the 20,000,000 additional children.

Miss Irene Barnes Taucer, co-editor of the population index, said figures reported recently from England, Scotland and Wales show the birth rate in England in 1940 was only three-tenths of one per cent lower than in 1939 but was much higher than in 1933.

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## Boykin Winner In Drift Race

Second of the Discovery Island Cup races run off by the Royal Victoria Yacht Club yesterday resulted in the star Boykin crossing the finishing line first.

Twelve boats, stars, dinghies and snipes, competed. Nine took the northerly course and three rounded the southern end of the island.

Getting away from the club mark at 10.40 in a light wind, blowing north by northwest, the yachts were becalmed and the race developed into a drifting match with first one and then another of the competitors barging into a temporary lead.

Mintaka, skippered by W. M. T. Barrett, got away from the bunched fleet at the start of the race and maintained the lead until she was abeam of Flower Island. Kismet was late in starting, but Herbert Gann outgassed Mintaka and gained the lead off Commodore Point.

Then the wind petered out and the yachts were becalmed for the better part of an hour, all jockeying for position, drifting past one another, but getting nowhere.

In what the amateur yachtsmen might term a disappointing race, Boykin, an outsider at the start, made the homeward drift to win.

Finishing times follow: Boykin, W. H. Blandy, 3.40.20; Mintaka, W. M. T. Barrett, 3.45.35; Aquila, Jack Gilbert, 4.03.00; Ripples, Tom Halkett, 4.52.30; Dinghies—Onoway, Roger Anstey, 4.08.30; Pancho, Philippa Cooke, 4.11.39; Kismet, H. Gann, 5.34.20; Snipes—Ishkoodah, Alfie Evans, 4.19.15; Redskin, Averill Brown, 4.56.10; Pelican, Jack Moran, 4.56.35; Kakawis, Jack Downes, 5.59.00. Klatawa, sailed by Humphrey Golby, failed to finish.

H. Mc. E. Young was starter and Fred Lawrence timekeeper.

### SATURDAY'S MATINEE

The fifth of the "B" series races was won by Tom Halkett's Ripples Saturday afternoon.

Starting at 3.10, the course followed was from the club mark to Flower Island, Paterson Point, beach mark and home, once around.

Finishes were: Stars—Ripples, Tom Halkett, 3.57.40; Boykin, W. Blandy, 4.06; Aquila, Jack Gilbert, 4.06.30; dinghies, Pancho, Miss Philippa Cooke, 4.14.20; Onoway, Roger Anstey, 4.17.25; Tottos, Miss Blandy, 4.40.05; snipes, Ishkoodah, Alfie Evans, 4.28.30; Redskin, Dave Ramsay, 4.39.25; Kakawis, Jack Downes,

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4.46.50; Pelican, Jack Moran, 4.56.25; Cienia, P. Sills, 4.56.35; Bandicoot, G. Heal, 4.57.34; Klatawa, Frank Ward, 4.58.15.

D. Campbell was starter and Jack Healy timekeeper.

### Around the Docks

## PRINCE GEORGE BUSY STEAMER

A busy boat this summer, Canadian National's S.S. Prince George arrived at Vancouver this morning with a large number of holidaymakers returning from a cruise through northern B.C. waters, including the scenic Portland Canal.

The liner sails from Vancouver again this evening to Alaska with over 200 passengers, most of them making the round trip to Skagway.

Fifty per cent of bookings on the Prince George tonight are accounted for by four special tour parties, all from eastern United States.

## Assign Ships To B.C. Trade

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Three 5,500-ton freighters have been assigned to the Oceanic Line to serve British Columbia, New Zealand and Fiji, the Matson Navigation Company, parent organization, announced today.

The freighters Manini, Mapele and Makua will furnish monthly service under the assignment requested by the Maritime Commission, to replace British cargo vessels transferred to other routes.

While steamship agents here have not been advised to date, it is expected the freighters Manini, Mapele and Makua will call at Victoria and Vancouver to maintain the service between here and the Antipodes.

### Killed in Crash

KINGSTON, Ont. (CP)—Radio Officer Richard Coates of Dartmouth, N.S., killed in the crash of a ferry bomber in the United Kingdom last Thursday.

Arthur B. Purvis, director-general of the British Purchasing Commission in the United States, and 21 others, formerly was a radio operator on the steamer Coalfax, which operates on the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence River.

Later he was wireless operator at the Barfield wireless station here. He was radio operator aboard the Hudson bomber in which Jacqueline Cochran, United States aviatrix, flew the Atlantic recently.

A native of West Hartlepool, England, he came to Canada at the age of 15 and lived for a time in Saskatchewan.

### Corvettes Christened

COLLINGWOOD, Ont. (CP)—Another corvette slipped down the ways here yesterday to add its strength to the Canadian Navy when H.M.C.S. Le Pas took to the water at this Georgian Bay port. The craft was christened by Mrs. McCuaig, wife of Duncan F. McCuaig, M.P. of Barrie, Ont.

H.M.C.S. Drumheller, launched some time ago, was christened by Miss Doreen Dutton of Drumheller.

## Ships Perpetuate Canadian Towns

OTTAWA (CP)—Forty-three ships of the rapidly-expanding Canadian Navy now carry the names of Canadian cities and towns on active service in the defence of Canada and in operations overseas.

Largest vessel of the group is the destroyer Hamilton, an over-age but still serviceable destroyer transferred from the United States Navy to the Canadian service.

"There will be many more ships bearing Canadian place names but they are not yet commissioned," one R.C.N. spokesman said.

The navy's policy in general is to name destroyers after rivers, minesweepers after bays and inlets, yachts converted into patrol craft after animals and corvettes after cities and towns—but there are exceptions.

Every province but Prince Edward Island is represented in the 43 place names used so far. Ontario and British Columbia lead with 10 each, Quebec has eight, Saskatchewan four, Alberta and Nova Scotia three each, and Manitoba and New Brunswick two each. The 43rd ship is named after Dawson, Y.T.

The only destroyer not named after a river was originally transferred to the Royal Navy and named Hamilton. When Canada acquired her it was the intention to change the name to Kootenay for the British Columbia river of that name, but since the name Hamilton is borne by towns in Canada and the United States as well as Bermuda it was later decided to retain the name allocated to the ship by the Royal Navy.

Following are the place names represented in the R.C.N. by the western provinces: Manitoba—Brandon, Dauphin, Saskatchewan—Saskatoon, Moose Jaw, Battleford, Rossmore, Alberta—Camrose, Lethbridge, Wetaskiwin.

British Columbia—Agassiz, Chilliwack, Trail, Kamloops, Quesnel, Alberni, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Arrowhead, Cowichan.

Yukon Territory—Dawson.

### Minesweeper Sunk

LONDON (CP)—The Admiralty announced today the sinking of a navy minesweeper, identified only as No. 39. Cause of the sinking and number of casualties were not given.

### Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP)—Week-end receipts, cattle 686; calves 77; hogs 44; sheep 4. Today, cattle 70; calves 16; hogs 100; sheep 20. Medium grass steers 7.50 to 8.00. Good cows 5.75 to 6.25; common to medium 4.50 to 5.50. Medium to good bulls 6.50 to 7.50. Medium to good vealers 7.50 to 9.00. Good feeder steers 7.50; common stockers down to 6.00.

Last hogs sales Friday brought 13.15 to 13.25 for B-1's at yards and plants.

### Rubber Trade Halted

NEW YORK (AP)—Trading in crude rubber futures was suspended yesterday in compliance with Price Administrator Leon Henderson's request. All open contracts will be liquidated at prices prevailing at the close of business on Tuesday, August 12.

This latest suspension in commodity trading now leaves only hides, tin and lead in which dealings may take place on the commodity exchange.

The board of governors of the exchange only recently halted trading in silk and copper futures.

### War Certificates

Bearing certificate sales during July totaled \$100,892, bringing total sales to \$7,015,814 since the war started, the Bank of Canada announced today.

Sales of Series A certificates of the noninterest-bearing issue amounted to \$86,619 from 98 individual subscriptions of which 75 were previous subscribers. Proceeds of this issue are for direct prosecution of the war.

Sales of the Series B issue, directed to relief of suffering due to war, totaled \$14,273 from 757 individual subscribers. Aggregate sales of this classification now total \$270,831.

### Egg Prices

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Products Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2482. Prices as announced August 18 are:

70 producer, delivered, cases returned: Grade A large —40c; Grade A medium —38c; Grade A pullets —36c; Peewees —34c.

Wholesale to retail: Grade A large —44c; Grade A medium —42c; Grade A pullets —40c; Peewees —38c.

Nova Scotia Light & Power Company Ltd., preferred 1½ per cent, payable September 2 to record August 15.

## C.P.R. Bridge Builder Passes

Thomas Joseph Behan, 55, bridge and building master of the Canadian Pacific Railway's Vancouver division at Vancouver, died yesterday, ending a noteworthy career as railway builder.

"Tommy" Behan came out from Montreal to Penticton, B.C., in 1910, already an experienced road-builder, to assist Chief Engineer A. McCulloch in locating and constructing the Kettle Valley Railway through southern B.C. This line was merged with the Canadian Pacific 11 years ago when Mr. Behan came into the service of the bigger company. He saw service at Penticton, Nelson, North Bend and latterly Vancouver.

A practical railway engineer who boasted no diplomas but could hold his own with college men in the field, he worked on notes and figures by candlelight in tents while the Kettle Valley line was being carried from Midway to Penticton and thence by way of the Coquihalla Pass to Hope where it joined the Canadian Pacific main line. His work with the Canadian Pacific also was conspicuous.

He is survived by his wife at the family home here and by a daughter, Marguerite. Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow morning at 10 in St. Augustine's Church, Vancouver. Honorary pallbearers will be a group of railroaders with whom Mr. Behan spent most of his career: C. A. Cotterell, Vancouver; A. McCulloch, Penticton; A. A. Swift, Penticton; E. S. McCracken, Revelstoke; T. E. Price, Winnipeg and George H. Baillie, Vancouver. Active pallbearers will be six bridge and building foremen of the local C.P.R. division: A. J. Moore, Gus Johnson, W. Luscombe, Arthur Hutchings, J. Duncan and George McKenzie.

### Wheat

WINNIPEG (CP)—Hedging sales in the wheat futures pit on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today carried prices one cent lower despite a mill demand and outside buying believed to represent more than 500,000 bushels in connection with domestic flour sales. Prices closed with October at 75, December 76½ and May 80½ cents a bushel.

Fair buying by shippers in No. 1 northern and mills in 2, 3 and 4 northern made up a trade of about 500,000 bushels, while United States interests were showing interest in No. 5 northern and a brisk inquiry from shippers and mills for Alberta red winters, durum and garrets was in evidence. Spreads were mostly unchanged.

In the coarse grain pit, mills were good buyers of oats, while local and outside interests supported barley. Prices ruled fractionally higher in the early part of the session, but increased hedging sales near the close brought decreases. Flax trade was thin, and rye slipped fractionally on resting orders credited to locals.

Chicago wheat quotations were unchanged to ¼ lower to unchanged.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)  
Wheat—P. Cio. Open High Low Close  
Oct. 75 75 76 75 75  
Nov. 75 75 76 75 75  
Dec. 75 75 76 75 75  
May 80 80 81 80 80

Barley—  
Oct. 51 51 51 51 50 50  
Nov. 51 51 51 51 50 50  
Dec. 51 51 51 51 50 50  
May 52 51 51 52 50 51

Oats—  
Oct. 43 43 43 43 43 43  
Nov. 43 43 43 43 43 43  
Dec. 43 43 43 43 43 43  
May 43 43 43 43 43 43

Rye—  
Oct. 55 55 55 55 54 54  
Nov. 55 55 55 55 54 54  
Dec. 55 55 55 55 54 54  
May 55 55 55 55 54 54

Flax—  
Oct. 144 144 144 144 144 144  
Nov. 144 144 144 144 144 144  
Dec. 144 144 144 144 144 144  
May 144 144 144 144 144 144

Cash Grain Close  
Wheat—1 northern 73-6, 2 71-2, 3 68-3, track 74  
Tn. quiet, spot and nearby, 52.00 nom.; forward, 52.00 nom.

Lead, steady; spot, New York, 5.85 to 5.90.  
Zinc, steady; East St. Louis, spot and forward, 7.25.  
Fig. iron, steady; No. 2 f.o.b. eastern Pennsylvania, 25.00; Buffalo, 24.00; Alabama, 20.38.  
Aluminum, virgin 90 per cent, 17.00.

LONDON (AP)—Bar silver 23 7/16d. unchanged. (Equivalent 42.50 cents).

MONTREAL (CP)—Bar gold in London was unchanged today at \$37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds; 168½ in British, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed \$35 Washington price amounted to \$38.50 in Canadian.

MONTREAL (CP)—Spot copper, electrolytic, 12 1/2¢. Tin, 61.50. Lead, 5.50. Zinc, 5.65. Antimony, 15.75. Per 100 lbs. f.o.b. Montreal, five-ten lots.

### Aircraft Profits

SEATTLE (AP)—The Boeing Airplane Co., and its domestic subsidiary, Boeing Aircraft Co., today reported consolidated net profit, for the six months ending June 30, was \$2,011,360.55, after provision for depreciation and estimated income and excess profits taxes. This was equivalent to \$1.85 per share on the 1,082,454 shares of outstanding capital stock.

In the corresponding six months of 1940, the companies showed a consolidated net loss of \$69,173.83, and for the year a net profit, after federal and state income taxes, of \$374,655.29.

## New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market Monday plowed a couple of more furrows in recovery ground.

While gains of fractions to a point or so were fairly well distributed at the close, top marks established in the forenoon later were reduced in many instances. Total transfers were around 400,000 shares.

Stocks attracting support most of the day included U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Republic Steel, Santa Fe, Southern Railway, Southern Pacific, Boeing, United Aircraft, Glenn Martin, Douglas Aircraft, Kennecott, Phelps Dodge, Chrysler, U.S. Rubber, U.S. Industrial Alcohol, Caterpillar Tractor and Westinghouse.

In the hesitant division were General Motors, Johns-Manville, Air Reduction, Macy, Goodrich and Air Reduction.

Among Canadian issues, Canadian Pacific gained ¼ while McIntyre lost the same amount. In the bond market Canada 4s lost ¼.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)  
Dow Jones' averages closed today as follows:  
Industrials —125.62, up .57  
Rails —30.19, up .34  
Utilities —18.39, up .08  
Total sales, 400,000.

	Close	Ask
American Can	82 1/2	83
American Tobacco	70 1/2	71
American Smelter	154	155
American Tel. and Tel.	154	155
Anacostia	28 1/2	29
B. and O. Railway	4 1/2	4 3/4
Baldwin Locomotive	15 1/2	16
Bendix Aviation	37 1/2	38
Bethlehem Steel	69	70
Borden	20 1/2	21
C. P. R.	4 1/2	4 3/4
Cerro de Pasco	32 1/2	33
Crysler	37 1/2	38
Consolidated Edison	17 1/2	18
Curtis Wright	9 1/2	10
Dupont	157 1/2	158
Eastman Kodak	140	141
Freight Texas	69 1/2	70
General Electric	38 1/2	39
General Motors	32 1/2	33
General Foods	43 1/2	44
Great Northern	26 1/2	27
Howe Sound	2 1/2	2 3/4
Inter. and T. N. I.	26 1/2	27
Kennecott Copper	37 1/2	38
McIntyre	32 1/2	33
Nash-Kelvinator	4 1/2	4 3/4
New York Central	12 1/2	13
Packard	24 1/2	25
Pennsylvania Railway	24 1/2	25
Phillips Petroleum	44 1/2	45
Pulman	44 1/2	45
Radio	4 1/2	4 3/4
Standard Oil New Jersey	42 1/2	43
Standard Oil Ohio	42 1/2	43
Studebaker	5 1/2	5 3/4
Texas Corp.	41 1/2	42
Texas Gulf	38 1/2	39
Union Carbide	77 1/2	78
Union Pacific	72 1/2	73
U.S. Rubber	39 1/2	40
U.S. Steel	58 1/2	59
Western Union	82 1/2	83
Woolworth	29 1/2	30
Yellow Truck	14 1/2	15

## Bonds

	Bid	Ask
Argentine 4 1/2% 1971	73.00	75.00
Austrian 4 1/2% 1966	62.00	64.00
Chile 6% 1961	11.00	13.25
Colombia 6% 1961	36.00	37.25
C.P.R. 3 1/2% 1957	97.25	98.50
Denmark 6% 1942	48.00	50.00
Peru 6% 1961	6.00	7.25
U.S. 4 1/2% 1955	70.80	72.50
United Kingdom 4% 1960	26.50	28.50

Above prices in New York.

	Bid	Ask
Alberia 4 1/2% 1953	64.50	66.00
Do. 5% 1955	68.50	71.50
British Columbia 4 1/2% 1957	99.00	100.00
Do. 5% 1959	100.00	101.00
Do. 5% 1961	104.50	106.00
Manitoba 4 1/2% 1960	94.50	96.00
Do. 5% 1962	102.00	103.00
New Brunswick 4 1/2% 1961	99.50	102.50
Nova Scotia 4 1/2% 1962	105.50	108.50
Ontario 4 1/2% 1959	109.50	111.00
Quebec 4 1/2% 1958	100.00	103.00
Saskatchewan 4 1/2% 1961	84.00	86.00
Do. 5% 1962	85.00	88.00
Do. 6% 1962	91.50	94.00

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Abnobi 5% 1953 —71 7/8 73 1/2  
B.C. Pulp 6% 1950 —85 1/2 88 1/2  
Brown Co. 5 1/2% 1946 —62 1/2 64 1/2  
Calgary Power 5% 1960 —107 1/2 109 1/2  
Canada Cement 4 1/2% 1951 —103 1/2 105 1/2  
Canada Steamship 5% 1957 —95 1/2 101 1/2  
C.P.R. 3 1/2% 1957 —97 1/2 99 1/2  
Do. 5% 1959 —93 1/2 95 1/2  
Dominion Ter 4 1/2% 1951 —101 1/2 103 1/2  
Famous Players 4 1/2% 1951 —95 1/2 97 1/2  
Gatineau Power 5% 1949 —100 1/2 102 1/2  
Maple Leaf 3% 1958 —75 1/2 78 1/2  
Massey Harris 4 1/2% 1954 —94 1/2 97 1/2  
McCord Frontenac 4 1/2% 1949 —101 1/2 104 1/2  
Shawinigan 4 1/2% 1951 —105 1/2 108 1/2  
Simpsons Ltd. 4 1/2% 1951 —102 1/2 105 1/2  
U. Grain Growers 5% 1948 —95 1/2 98 1/2

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)  
(9 a.m.)  
Bell Telephone —147 1/2 148 1/2  
B.A. Oil —15 1/2 16 1/2  
B.C. Power A —23 1/2 24 1/2  
Burlington Steel —6 1/2 6 3/4  
Canadian Pacific Railway —31 1/2 32 1/2  
Cons. Paper —7 1/2 7 3/4  
Dominion Bridge —2 1/2 2 3/4  
Ford Canada A —17 1/2 18 1/2  
Gatineau Power 5% pfd. —72 1/2 74 1/2  
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Uncle Ray

Czar Founded City as 'Window to the West'

News from abroad has told of a city which the Germans have been calling "St. Petersburg," but its name was changed to "Leningrad" in 1924.

Leningrad is in northwestern Russia. It is the second largest city in the Soviet Union.



Peter the Great and his statue at Leningrad.

How many persons there are in Leningrad today would be hard to tell. Some residents left it after the opening of the Russo-German war. On the other hand, extra soldiers were rushed into the city and the suburbs around it. The best we can say is that the population last year was more than 3,000,000.

Going back into history, we find that the city was founded by the Czar known as Peter the Great. Two hundred and 38 years have passed since he ordered the work to begin.

Peter the Great had been fighting a war with Sweden, and had captured a fort at the mouth of the Neva River. This river flows into the eastern end of the Gulf of Finland.

The Czar said his new city would be "a window to the west." With a port in that location, Russian vessels could sail out of the Gulf of Finland into the Baltic Sea, then to the North Sea.

The spot chosen was not quite on the coast. It was where the Neva River branches into parts. Yet large ships could sail along the river branches to the sea.

Forty thousand soldiers and farmers were set to work in 1703. Many of them were Cossacks and Tartars. Later they were joined by Swedish prisoners and by 30,000 day laborers.

Thousands of men fell sick and died as they labored on churches, palaces and other buildings which the Czar ordered them to put up. The site of the city was in the midst of swamps and was not healthful. We are told that everyone "hated the place"--except Peter.

The new city was named St. Petersburg, in honor of the Czar's patron saint. It became the capital of Russia, taking the place of Moscow. Within a few years it had a population of 150,000.

Near the close of the World War the name was changed to "Petrograd," and the Soviet government moved to Moscow, making that old city once more the Russian capital. Later the name was changed from Petrograd to Leningrad.

HOROSCOPE

AUGUST 19

Good and evil appear balanced in the forecast for today. The morning is favorable to organization and routine matters. Trouble may loom in the afternoon and certain obstacles may confront businessmen. Domestic plans may meet with keen resistance, also, and the seers advise women to stick to routine tasks today.

Astrologers declare the people of Great Britain will be greatly cheered by news of Russian victories. Important announcements from Soviet leaders are forecast.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a successful year. Children born on this day may be capable and industrious.

Russians Warned War May Be Long

MOSCOW (AP)—The Communist party organ Pravda warned the Russians today to be prepared for "a prolonged and stubborn struggle" in the war against Germany.

Pravda stated the Germans, although weakened by the bloody campaign now entering its ninth week, are "still very strong."

"We are facing a prolonged and stubborn struggle which shall tax all our strength and require great sacrifices," it said.

"The future conference at Moscow at which will be worked out common plans for the struggle against the enemy undoubtedly will further strengthen the fruitful co-operation of the U.S.S.R., the United States and Britain in the cause of achieving the common aim of relieving mankind of the Nazi tyranny."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—We have been married a little over six years and my husband has informed me that he is in love with another woman. We are still in our twenties, have no children and have always been considered an ideal married couple. I adore my husband and my solution of my part of the program is suicide. I will give you my reasons for taking my life and see if you can give me one good reason why I should not do so.

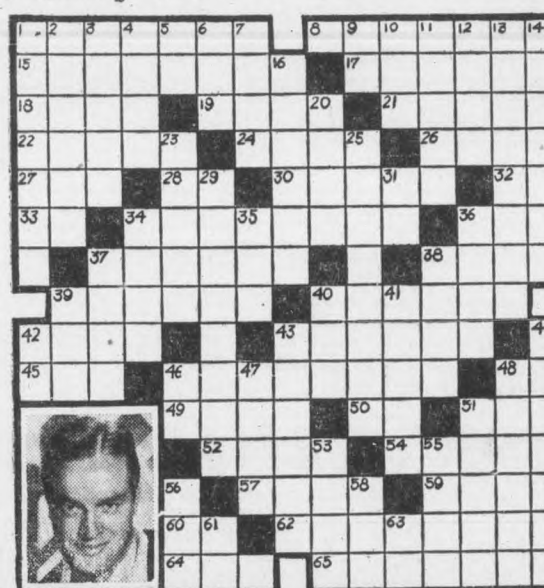
(1) We have been everything to one another and I simply can't imagine a life without him. (2) One marriage is all I intended to make, so the prospect of marrying again holds no appeal for me. (3) I can't face my relatives and friends with my failure to hold my husband and have them know that he left me for another woman. (4) I have worked some of the time at odd jobs, but I am not fitted to support myself. Anyway, it is the domestic life that appeals to me.

So if my home life and my husband are taken away from me, ending it all is the only way out for me. Don't say I should prepare myself for a self-supporting job; that eventually I will get over the heartache and be able to make some sort of life for myself, because after experiencing the best I can't be satisfied with a second-best substitute.

Answer: So you can't take it, eh! When trouble comes your way you just throw up your hands and quit, without even trying to fight back and wrest victory out of defeat. You haven't the courage to carry on, as millions of women are doing today who have lost not only their husbands but their sons and their homes, have lost everything they had of value in the world, without ever permitting themselves even the luxury of a tear, but who have gone on serving cause so much greater than themselves that they have not stopped to consider their personal sorrows.

DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL

1 One who ensnares. 54 A peculiarity. 7 Nevada city. 31 General Electric (abbr.). 8 Hint. 57 Afternoon parties. 9 An expression of inquiry. 34 Coin. 15 Revoked. 59 Host. 10 Vegetable secretion. 35 It is (cont.). 36 Copies. 17 One who tosses. 60 Upon. 11 To feel one's way. 37 Sulk. 18 Winglike. 62 Filterer. 12 Pen name of Lamb. 38 Female saints (abbr.). 19 Suffix (pl.). 63 Cement. 13 Notches. 39 Thin bar. 21 Watered silk. 1 Wandered. 14 Amused. 40 Kava. 22 Girl's name. 2 Put down again. 16 Bequeath. 41 Proficient. 24 Part of stove. 3 Severed. 20 Half (prefix). 42 Exclamation. 26 Rubber. 4 Persian fairy. 23 Sphere of. 43 Whirlpools. 27 Deep hole. 5 State (abbr.). 25 Sail. 44 Those who die for a cause. 28 Right (abbr.). 6 Yale. 29 Cut off. 46 Manuscript (abbr.). 30 Statue. 32 Near. 47 Nearest. 48 One who cripples. 33 Editor (abbr.). 34 Scoffing. 36 Consumed. 37 Time period. 38 Ran swiftly. 39 Italians. 40 Mineral (pl.). 42 Comedian. 43 Avoids. 45 Humorist. 46 Orders. 48 Mother. 49 Instead (simplified). 50 Upon (prefix). 51 Damage. 52 Departure.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

CRABE APPROPRIATE HUMID RARE LIRA USES VISE WADER RENTS AT FOREST C DALS ELIDE SH HO SETTLERS H ILLK GAR LINDEN WNSTON MIEN RAIT T PEC CHAURCH E NE MI BEPC RS R INDIAS AT YOKES SLAPS FT DIRE TARE AHEM RELIC SYNDICATE ISLET



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### U.S. HENS AID

WASHINGTON (AP) — The hens of the country are going all out for Britain in a big way. Reporting a "total of about 1,000,000,000 chickens" was being raised this year, the Department of Agriculture said this would exceed "all past records," adding that one of the causes of this

production jump was the "demand for more poultry and eggs to meet the needs of actively-employed people and the populations of the battling democracies." Farmers received more than 25 cents a dozen for eggs last month on an average, compared with about 16 cents a year ago, and the 10-year average of 17 cents.

### CANADIANS FACE TEST OF FORTITUDE

TORONTO (CP)—Should Canadians fail to appreciate the vital importance of a supreme concentration of effort to defeat the enemies of civilization, then all that the people of the democracies are contributing now in blood, sweat and tears "will avail us nothing," Maj.-Gen. H. D. G. Crerar declared here.

Gen. Crerar, chief of the general staff, spoke at the Sir Adam Beck memorial ceremony and, paying tribute to Sir Adam, his brother-in-law and founder of the Ontario hydro electric power commission, he said he had "vision, courage, unselfish purpose and tenacity." "May our memory of him now inspire the development of these same qualities in ourselves," Gen. Crerar declared.

fortitude than that which, in all our proud and progressive history, it has been our privilege and pride to meet—and to overcome. If at any time we Canadians have had need to repress the selfish, the fearful, and the negative in our characters, surely it must be now.

### 76 R.A.F. Planes Lost in Week

LONDON (CP) — The Royal Air Force lost 76 planes in the week ended yesterday. Officials said they considered this satisfactory in view of the large number of planes used. Axis losses were put at eight bombers and 39 fighters for the same period. The R.A.F. has now shown it can take the offensive night or day for losses much smaller than those of the Germans in the Battle of Britain last Autumn.

Canada's shipbuilding program involves expenditure of more than \$120,000,000.

### Letters to the Editor

#### SWEATED LABOR

It was stated in the local press Aug. 14 that single clerks, grade 1, employed by the federal government; which means, Naval Dockyard, Esquimalt, receive the magnificent net salary of \$54 per month for, in many cases, far more work than business firms pay from \$75 to \$100 per month to have performed. (With the reporter neglected to add, a bonus in addition to the \$100). In some branches they are forced to work overtime without remuneration or even a bit extra for car fare and a meal. If a grade 1 clerk is married he receives \$57 net per month. Subtracting \$54 from \$57 means that a wife is worth only \$3 per month extra, which is a new low for the worth of wives.

It was also stated in headings that "C.B.R. Sleeps as Atlee Talks." Too Early Says C.B.R. The combined networks in the United States were right on the job, however, to broadcast this most important address.

Another local press item states that Premier Pattullo says he will wait until Ottawa grants the bonus payments to federal civil servants before giving same to provincial civil servants. The Premier will probably have to wait a long, long time if Ottawa operates at its usual speed.

In view of the above, and since this is a fair sample of the way in which things are done in Canada, is it any wonder that Canada is what is it? It is high time government officials stopped sleeping everywhere in this country.

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**MOBILE CANTEN FROM VICTORIA**  
May I be permitted to inform the members and friends of the Women's Canadian Club who so generously donated to the club's mobile canteen fund that the \$1,175 which our treasurer cabled to Mr. McAdam on July 8 has been received and the canteen is now in process of construction.

The Marchioness of Donegal, deputy chairman of the Canadian Women's Club of London, Eng., wrote a most grateful letter thanking us for the gift and saying that through the wonderful co-operation given to them by members, friends and sister clubs they have been able to build nine canteens for the use of our troops.

Our canteen, she said, will be a 22 h.p. Ford V8, exactly like the one built for the Vancouver Women's Club, a picture of which recently appeared in our local papers, and it will bear the inscription "Presented by the Women's Canadian Club, Victoria, B.C., Canada, through the Canadian Women's Club, London, England."

Besides this special project of furnishing canteens, the Marchioness told of the work of their War Emergency Committee in visiting hospitals and fulfilling if possible the many requests of the Canadian soldiers and offering hospitality in their homes to convalescent officers, men and nurses. Through the Canadian Red Cross Society the members of the London club also assist in sorting and repacking the cases of clothing sent from Canada, over 350,000 having already been received, and reshipping them to bombed areas, soldiers, sailors and airmen's families and to hospitals and homes.

On behalf of the executive of the Victoria club, I wish to publicly thank all those members and friends who responded to our appeal in June and made it possible to raise the required amount by voluntary contribution in such a short space of time. We are proud and grateful that by such an effort the Victoria Women's Canadian Club will have this special contact with our Canadian soldiers overseas.

THELMA R. JOHNS,  
President, Victoria Women's Canadian Club.

**SAANICH PLEBISCITE**  
In the pamphlet issued by the Saanich council, there are some misleading statements. The most serious one is on the analysis of the water. The pamphlet gives an analysis of Saanich Well Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4. Now the truth is, that only one well has been tested by the government health engineer, the figures 1, 2, 3 and 4 refer to the four samples taken from one well.

holes is to be bulldozed away with a recently purchased \$6,000 bulldozer.

Again last April at Brentwood the reeve stated "that the source of the wells is the source of Elk Lake." Now Elk Lake is 135 feet higher than the wells site. How does the reeve make the water at the wells site travel uphill 135 feet?

It certainly shows the want of serious consideration on the part of our government to allow Saanich to put the scheme to the vote of the people before every well has been tested.

That the government should entrust the investigation to a very young man with excellent university degrees, but only two years' practical experience, is not just to the people.

The investigation of a water supply is such a serious matter that only those with many years' experience should be held responsible.

Not only should all the wells be analyzed, but the whole watershed of Elk Lake should be examined so as to be certain that no privies, etc., exist to contaminate the water.

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**FINLAND**  
Finland has for years been America's "white-haired boy," preferred to Britain and Europe, because she regularly paid her very small debt.

Early in the war America and Britain were so nearly unanimous in praising Finland, when Russia attacked her, that protest seemed useless. But Russia knew what she was doing and in spite of the majority in the democracies, to those who knew, Finland, then meant, and still means Mannerheim, and not the Finnish people. Read Mannerheim's record, and you will have another "think" coming.

Today the two great democracies have once more, on second thoughts, changed their minds. Britain is attacking Finland, and Hopkins is in Moscow.

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**MONEY ILLUSION**  
It is a comparative easy task for governments to find billions of dollars for war purposes. What a contrast to the conditions that prevailed before the war, when a large proportion of the people were denied adequate food, clothing and shelter. Demands for necessary social services were met by the pitiful cry, "Where is the money to come from?"

In order to prevent a return to any such conditions after the war, it is important that we begin now to think in terms of reality. Do we realize that, in a very real sense, things don't cost money—they cost only work—and that we as a nation can afford anything we have the manpower and the materials to produce?

All the things we produce and exchange with one another are created by labor (mental and manual) applied to the raw materials which the Creator has provided. The money system is, or should be, only our national bookkeeping system.

GEORGE E. CREED.  
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#### EVOLUTION 'KNOCKED OUT'

The celebrated astronomer Kirch, having an acquaintance who denied the existence of God, took the following method to convince him of his error:

He procured a handsome globe, or representation of the starry heavens, which he placed in a corner of the room to attract his friend's attention, who, when he came, asked whence it came and to whom it belonged.

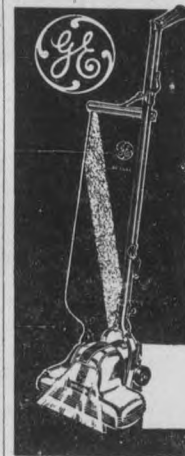
"Not to me," said Kirch, "nor was it ever made by any person, but came here by mere chance." "That," replied his skeptical friend, "is absolutely impossible, you surely jest." Kirch, however, seriously persisting in his assertion, took occasion to reason with his friend on his own atheistical principals.

"You will not believe," said he, "that this small body originated in mere chance, and yet you would contend that those heavenly bodies, of which it is but a faint resemblance, came into existence without order or design."

Pursuing this train of reasoning, his friend was at first confounded, next convinced, and cordially confessed the absurdity of denying the existence of God.

It is related of Napoleon, an avowed infidel, was once telling a very improbable story, giving his opinion that it was true, the emperor quietly remarked, "There are some men who are capable of believing everything but the Bible."

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**MRS. CHIEF JUSTICE**  
SHE'S CONTENT NOW TO LOOK AFTER THE SUPREME COURT'S NEW LEADER, BUT MRS. HANNA F. STONE HAS HAD NO MEAN CAREER OF HER OWN AS A PAINTER.



**TAIL-LESS GLADIATOR**  
FIGHTER LEW JENKINS HEARD OF A MANX CAT THAT HAD LICKED ALL COMERS IN THE ALLEY POPULATION OF A SOUTHERN CITY. LEW LOOKED UP THE OWNER, BOUGHT THE BEAST, MADE HIM HIS INSEPARABLE PET AND MASCOT.

### People in the News

**EXEMPT**  
KENNETH GIBSON of Canterbury, N.Z. has been exempted from army service until 1942 because he is one of only three experts in that town able to tell cockerel chicks from pullets. Sixteen poultry farmers supported his exemption appeal.

A little more than 40 years ago, Lear and Krueger were recruits. Now each wears three stars, just one short of the most a United States soldier can get. They command two of the four biggest fighting units in the land.

**DISAPPOINTED**  
When a restaurant waitress refused to marry him CARL NIELSON, 26-year-old Norwegian merchant seaman, shot and killed himself with a 22 calibre revolver in Chambly, Quebec.

**CHURCH WITH TROOPS**  
ANGUS M. MACDONALD, Canadian Navy Minister, visited the 3rd Canadian Division in England and attended a Roman Catholic mass with a Quebec regiment.

**RENO MARRIAGE**  
SCREEN ACTRESS ELLEN DREW, 26, and SY BARTLETT, 38, polo-playing film writer, were married in Reno Saturday.

Later, he took the salute at a march past and then talked informally with many officers, including a fellow-member of the House of Commons, Lieut. Hugues Lapointe, son of Justice Minister Ernest Lapointe.

#### PRIVATE TO GENERAL

A pair of ex-privates, neither of them born in the United States, are grooming two field armies for the United States most spectacular military show.

On his return journey, the navy minister stopped briefly with a Nova Scotia regiment of the 2nd Division.

#### ROYAL INSPECTION

PRINCESS JULIANA of the Netherlands reviewed one of her country's naval vessels in Pictou, N.S., boarding a warcraft for the first time since she and her two children crossed the Atlantic to Canada last summer.

In a driving rain, the Princess reviewed the warship's personnel and talked to several of the men, then spent 15 minutes inspecting the ship.

"Thou, Lord, in the beginning hast laid the foundation of the earth; and the heavens are the works of Thy hands. Chapter 1, 10 "Then came Jesus forth wearing the crown of thorns and the purple robe." John 19:5.

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#### CONDITIONS IN NEWFOUNDLAND

The recent statement by a Canadian naval officer is an insult to the Newfoundlanders at home and abroad. True many houses in St. John's lack paint owing to bad times, but they are never filthy firetraps. The house or houses this Canadian officer visited were of that description. A few of such are found in every seaport and naughty sailor men find them out. St. John's is less savory than Halifax, an honor I did not think possible, the officer reports. The odor of dead fish reaches half way across the Atlantic sometimes and the

lighthouse at the harbor entrance is not in use, for the small guides the incoming ships, he says. I think his proud parents in Victoria should caution him against further such statement traducing a noble people.

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